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LA FOLLETTE TALK IGNITES PENROSE.

Pennsylvanian Angry Because Wisconsin Man Asks Delay for $230,000,000 Post-office Bill.

EXCHANGE HOT WORDS.

Western Statesman Serves Notice on His Colleagues That They Cannot Shut Him Up.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Senator La Follette of Wisconsin served notice on the United States senate today that he knew he had a right to talk on the senate floor and that he would talk—and he did talk right out in meeting.

Mr. La Follette got a rise out of Senator Boies Penrose of Pennsylvania, who talked back to the senator from Wisconsin with anger in his voice and fire in his eye. The Pennsylvanian has had a reputation during his twelve years in the senate as a man of silence. Among the things that kindled the ire and loosened the usually quiet tongue of the Pennsylvania statesman were charges by his Wisconsin colleague:

That the senate purposely delayed appropriation bills for sinister purposes,

That Penrose had neglected his duties as senator by frequent absences, and

That the salary increases had been railroaded through.

Tries to Delay Postoffice Bill.

The undignified exchange of discourtesies before the dignified senate occurred because La Follette tried to postpone the passage of the postoffice bill until tomorrow. His words, though acrid, were not weighty enough, however, to block its progress, and the bill was passed, carrying with it $232,000,000.

Mr. Penrose, as chairman of the committee on postoffices and postroads, had charge of the bill. It was his pet. He had his heart set upon its being written into the law of the land before the sitting should adjourn.

All things tended toward a pleasant time and a quick vote, when all of a sudden a small man from the west arose and asked gently that the postoffice bill be allowed to go over until tomorrow, as it had just been reported from the committee, and he had had no time in which to examine it. The voice was from Wisconsin. It had been in the United States senate only two years, but what it said sounded like heresy.

Says He's There to Talk.

This started the fireworks, and an enjoyable afternoon was spent by the spectators. When it was about all over Mr. La Follette took in the whole senate at a glance and, as if addressing them all, impressively said:

"You can take no course which will debar me from exercising my right upon this floor to express my views upon legislation and the orderly conduct of the business of this body. If you were better acquainted with me you would know that."

Mr. Penrose resisted La Follette's request for delay, saying that he would explain all amendments which had been suggested by his committee. Mr. Penrose moved that the bill be taken up and it was laid before the senate, the senator from Wisconsin demanding the full reading of the text of the bill.

Practice to Rush Bills.

Mr. La Follette addressed himself at length to the measure, and severely arraigned the senate for permitting legislation to accumulate until the last days of the session, when, he declared, important bills were rushed through with little or no time for senators to understand them.

"My observation is that these appropriation bills get in here about as late for the long session as they do for the short session," said Mr. La Follette. "It seems to be part of the system that these most important legislative acts shall have little consideration."

He charged that important legislation was placed on these measures and passed when it could not pass as a separate bill. He said, also, that the salary increases for the judiciary, for the high executive offices, and for the vice president and the speaker of the house had been put through in that way, and he insisted that committees unduly delayed bills which might be reported earlier, so that the senate would have more opportunity to study and understand them.

Tells Penrose of Absences.

He declared that if the senator from Pennsylvania had attended the sessions earlier his committee might have made a report more promptly. He added that the important legislation of congress was in the hands of seven committees, while more than fifty senators were not assigned to any committees that have business.

He took occasion to say that he hoped the tariff bill would not be put through on a "greased runway."

"I do not see," he continued, "that it would be such a terrible calamity to the country if the discussion of these bills should carry some of them over to an extra session. I know that if appropriation bills are disposed of at this time there will not be any reorganization of committees at this time, and various important legislation outside of appropriation bills must go over to another session of congress."

In the midst of La Follette's speech Senator Penrose interrupted to ask the senator from Wisconsin whether "he was delivering his regular lecture," adding that he thought he had heard it all before.

Voice to Become Familiar.

Mr. La Follette replied that observations of that sort would not promote the passage of the bill, and said that his remarks were apt to be still more familiar. He chided the senate with having put off interstate commerce legislation for nine years and having delayed the pure food law for seventeen years by applying the same methods against which he was contending.

At this point Mr. Penrose arose and with violent anger and glaring across the chamber at the slight form of the senator from Wisconsin said in a loud voice:

"I shall not sit silent in my seat when misstatements are made or claptrap statesmanship is attempted here. I charge that the senator from Wisconsin has been on the committee on census and during his service on that committee has failed to attend a single meeting of it. I make that charge without any fear of contradiction.

Presents Only Trivial Claims.

"He is on the committee on claims and has only attended its meetings once or twice

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SUMMARY OF The Daily Tribune.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1909.

THE WEATHER—

FORECAST—Friday rain or snow, followed by fair and somewhat colder, with brisk westerly winds. Saturday fair.

Sunrise, 6:41.
Sunset, 5:29.
Moonrise, 6:26 a. m.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Temperature, max. 42, min. 30, mean 36, normal for the day 26. Excess since Jan. 1, 280.
Precipitation for 24 hours to 7 p. m., .01. Excess since Jan. 1, 1.56 inches.
Wind, S., max. 36 miles an hour, at 12:15 p. m.
Relative humidity, 7 a. m. 82%, 7 p. m. 98%.
Barometer, sea level, 7 a. m. 29.94, 7 p. m. 29.86.

TELEPHONE CENTRAL 100.

DAILY HEALTH HINT.

PURPOSE OF EXERCISE.

Exercise should be taken to increase the circulation and tissue change; to stimulate the elimination of waste products; to develop the muscles; to promote healthy action of the digestive organs, and to clear the brain and head, thus fitting us to do more work and better work than we would otherwise be able to perform.

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IVERNIA	Liverpool.
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MAURETANIA	New York.
MAJESTIC	Southampton.
MARQUETTE	Antwerp.
MASSACHUSETTS	London.
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PRINZ F. WILHELM	New York.
SAXONIA	Boston.
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CAST MORE DOUBT ON GINGLES TALE.

Hotel Employes Say Young Woman Was Conscious When Found; Probably Tied Herself.

POLICE GROW SKEPTICAL.

Capt. O'Brien Thinks Letter Written by the Girl Proves Her Story Cannot Be True.

What really happened to Ella Gingles in the course of her adventures Tuesday night in the Wellington hotel was only involved in more mystery by the developments of the police investigation of the affair yesterday. The additional information brought to light served to complicate still further the conflicting statements made by the young lacemaker, and the police struck no clew that tended to clear up the puzzling situation or to change their view that the whole thing is a "frameup."

Capt. P. D. O'Brien of the detective bureau asserted at the close of his day's investigation that the girl's story of the attack made upon her was impossible and that the information he had obtained only more fully discredited her charges.

The police are confident that they can clear up the mystery as soon as Miss Gingles is able to undergo the ordeal of cross examination. If she has recovered sufficiently by today Capt. O'Brien will make another trip to the hospital and attempt to elicit more details of the girl's story.

Patrick H. O'Donnell, Miss Gingles' attorney, would not commit himself. He said he would attempt to form no opinion of the remarkable affair until the girl becomes sufficiently lucid to tell her story in great detail.

Hotel Employes Skeptical.

Wellington hotel employes who found Miss Gingles tied believe she was in her right mind and conscious of her condition and surroundings. They assert that she either placed herself in the position in which she was found or that she was first fixed for the "scene," let her accomplice out of the bathroom door, then locked it and finished the work by lying down on the floor and tying herself to the bathtub.

"When Ben Bronson, the house carpenter, found the girl in the bathroom," said Roy Washbish, the bell captain, "he at once notified Mrs. Nora Dempsey, the housekeeper, who in turn notified Clerk Homer Mathews, who was on duty. Mr. Mathews shouted to me to 'Go get Dr. Watson at once.'

"The doctor went in first, then Bronson, then myself, and Mrs. Dempsey last. The doctor began feeling the girl's heart.

Finds No Knot in Cord.

"She was lying on her right side with her feet under the north end of the bathtub and her hands under the south end. She was not gagged nor were her feet tied. A corset string lay on the floor behind her. On the washbowl were two bottles. The girl was in a nightgown and was resting perfectly easy. When she said 'I am tied' the doctor cut the cords and we carried her to room 419 on the floor just below where we found her—Mrs. Dempsey's own room.

"She made no complaint and said nothing but 'O, Capt. O'Brien.' Dr. Watson asked her what her name was and she shook her head. He told me to go get her clothes, which I found in a neat bundle on a chair."

The bell captain explained that as Miss Gingles rolled over on her side he saw her relax her hold on the end of the cord which seemingly bound her hands. Later he examined the cord and asserts he found no knot in it.

Arms Crossed at Wrists.

"Her arms were crossed at the wrists," he said, "and were under the tub when we went in. They were not stretched above her head. The bathtub is only about four feet long, the legs are not that far apart. Her knees were at the legs at one end, so her arms were about even with her face. It looked afterward like the rope had been looped around both wrists and then twisted around the tub's leg. I am almost sure it was not tied, and that she had the end in her hands.

"She knew all about what was doing and had sense enough to tell the doctor what was wrong. Why did not she wait and let us find out if she was tied, and why were her arms and legs under the bathtub instead of at the side of the tub legs, where any one would think of tying them?"

Wounds Are Not Serious.

Miss Gingles remained during the day at the Frances Willard hospital. At times she gave way to hysterics, which the nurses pronounced genuine. She was examined by Dr. J. E. Reynolds and Dr. B. H. Orndoff for the purpose of ascertaining the location and extent of her injuries, and the report of the physicians was sent to Capt. O'Brien. The doctors contented themselves with describing the location of the wounds, consisting of cuts and bruises, none of which appears to be serious.

The police after receiving the report asserted that there was nothing in it to prove that the injuries could not have been self-inflicted. Physicians on the hospital staff, however, asserted that although the knife wounds might have been self-inflicted, the bruises could not have been. They said it was impossible for a person to bruise himself to the extent that Miss Gingles was bruised.

Dr. Reynolds was engaged by Attorney O'Donnell to make the examination of the girl.

Report Made by Physicians.

The report of the two doctors follows:

"We, the undersigned physicians in the case of Miss Ella Gingles, respectfully submit the following report:

"Miss Gingles entered the hospital Feb. 17 at 1:45 p. m. and was assigned to room 212. She is 5 feet 6 inches in height, weighs about 140 pounds, blonde, and about 18 years old.

"Physical examination: The head—five incisions appear above right eye on forehead, one on each cheek, and one bruise above right temple.

"Neck and chest—neck negative, chest bruised below left auxiliary space.

"Upper extremities—five incisions on left wrist, one incision on left forearm, one incision on right wrist. Bruise on left shoulder.

"Abdomen and back—negative.

"Lower extremities—incision on inner surface of left thigh near knee, another near groin, another extended on left sur-

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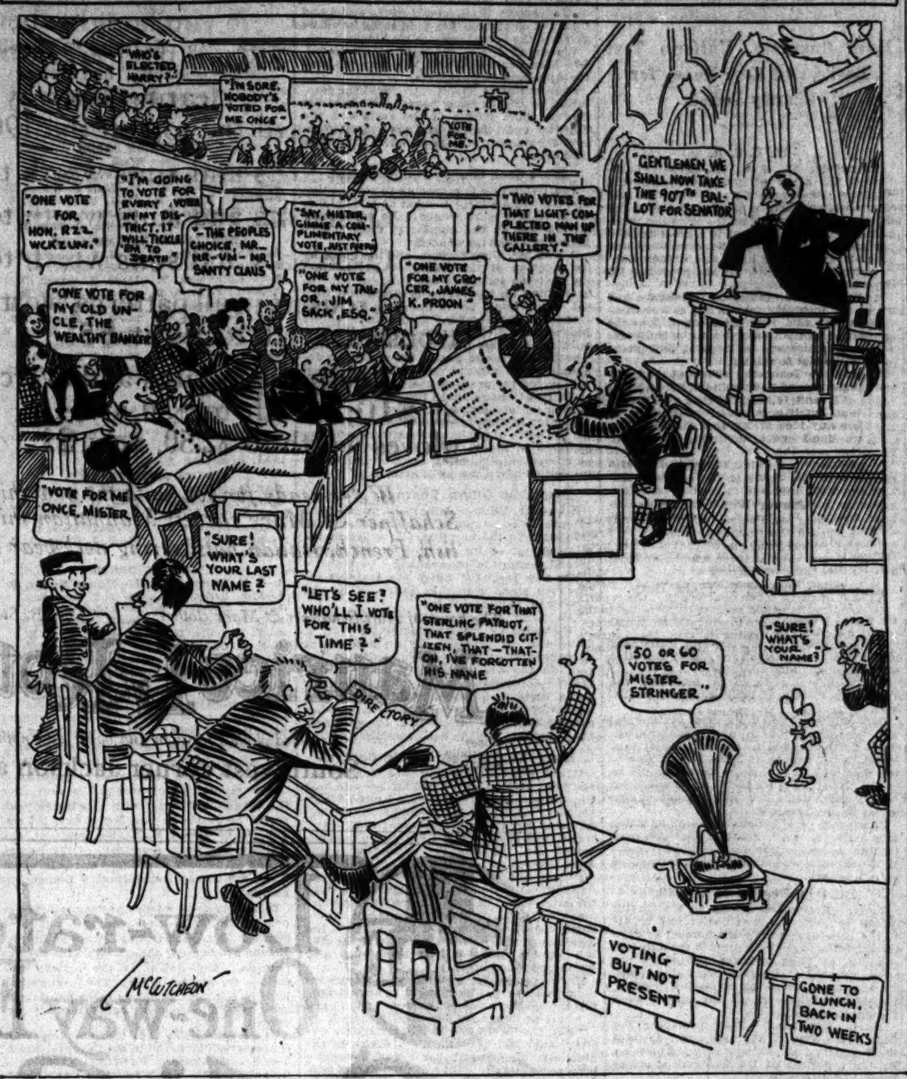
DEMOCRATS ARE HAVING LOTS OF FUN IN SENATORIAL DEADLOCK.



SHOT FROM REAR BY ASSASSIN

Chas. J. Patzelt Mortally Wounded While on Way to Lodge.

LONE WOMAN SEES THE DEED

Wife, Summoned from Domestic Duties, Knows of No Secret Foes.

Shot down by an assassin whose identity is unknown to the police, Charles J. Patzelt is reported dying at the county hospital from two bullet wounds in the head.

The case is one of the most baffling that the Chicago police have been called upon to solve in months. Although Patzelt's assailant was seen as he fired the shots, no description of him can be obtained from the only eye witness to the shooting.

Patzelt, who lives at 877 Kedzie avenue, was on his way to a lodge meeting of the North American union at Stiles' hall, Twenty-second street and Millard avenue, when the shooting occurred. He was walking south in Millard avenue, between Ogden avenue and Twenty-second street, about one-half block from the hall. The assassin was a pace or two behind him.

Sees "Attack from Behind."

Mrs. Mary Pillar, 879 Millard avenue, was walking on the opposite side of the street. She had stepped out of her residence at 8:30 o'clock to call on a neighbor, and saw the two men across the street. They were walking singly, owing to the bad condition of the sidewalk from slush.

As the two men arrived in front of the residence of H. C. Houtz, 976 Millard avenue, Mrs. Pillar heard the report of two revolver shots. She saw a man fall to the sidewalk and the other fled across the prairie.

With the sound of the shots, people living in the vicinity ran to their front doors. Members of the Houtz family saw the form lying on the sidewalk and telephoned the Lawndale police.

Plucky Woman Remains on Scene.

Mrs. Pillar remained at the side of the wounded man until the arrival of the patrol wagon. She related what she had seen, but said she was unable to give a description of the man who fired the shots.

When asked if the men had been talking as they walked toward the lodge hall, she said she did not hear their voices.

The wounded man's identity was not learned until his clothing was searched at the county hospital. Among other papers found on him was a card of the Royal League, Douglas Park council, No. 17, of which he also was a member.

From Domestic Peace to Tragedy.

On learning his identity detectives of the Lawndale station hastened to Patzelt's residence. There his wife was found putting her two children to bed. She was informed of the shooting, and the detectives accompanied her to the hospital.

Patzelt was on the operating table when his heartbroken wife arrived. The surgeons had found two bullet holes in the back of the head about two inches apart. The hair was powder burned, indicating that the revolver was held close to the victim's head. No attempt was made to probe for the bullets, as his condition, the surgeon said, was hopeless.

Patzelt is an officer in the North American Union. The police are working on the theory that he was shot down by some one who know him.

That robbery was not the motive for the crime is borne out by the fact that no attempt was made by the assassin to take his valuables. Mrs. Pillar says the man who fired the shots fled from the scene immediately.

Followed from the Car.

It is the opinion of the police that Patzelt took an Ogden avenue car at Kedzie avenue, on which he rode to Millard avenue. From where he left the car it is only one block to Stiles' hall.

That Patzelt's assailant was a passenger with him on the street car is also the belief of the police.

Street car conductors on the Ogden avenue line will be questioned today in an effort to get some clew to the mysterious assassin.

Patzelt is 40 years old. He is a bookkeeper employed by S. Oppenheimer & Co., 447 Wabash avenue.

Wife Had Asked Him to Stay.

"If my husband had any enemies he never told me of them," said Mrs. Patzelt. "He was greatly interested in lodge work, and when he left home this evening to attend a meeting it was against my wishes, for he was not feeling well. A short time after he left the house word came that he was shot."

MARATHON DANCE IS STARTED; LOS ANGELES ENDURANCE TEST

Contestants Will Compete Three Hours Each Night for a Week—Several Drop Out After First Spurt.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The most spectacular contest known in dancing circles began here last night when twelve young men and women entered a Marathon dance. They will compete three hours each night for a week. At the end of the dancing last night the leaders had traversed twelve miles and were bordering on collapse. Several rivals dropped out of the race for the night, unable to stand the strain.

The first hour Paul Gray and his sister, Miss Catherine Gray, danced five miles. Both looked tired after this spurt, and for the next two hours moderated their speed. Paul finished the night leading all the field, but before the third hour was finished Miss Gray dropped to the floor exhausted.

Others contesting are E. L. Browne, J. P. Taggart, E. Averill, E. E. Anderson, Miss Jessie Young, Walter Eakin, Walter Quinckle, Miss Annie La Vollette, and Miss Nellie La Forge. Anderson was carried from the floor before the first contest ended.

Waltzes and two steps are the only forms used. Those finishing do not lose a step during the entire three hours. The authorities may stop the unique contest before the week is out, as several physicians have condemned the dance, especially for girls.

GIRL CASHIER IS ATTACKED BY MASKED MAN, EX-EMPLOYE.

South Chicago Young Woman Fights Robber, Who Is Captured and Recognized as Victim's Former Associate.

After battling for several minutes with a masked robber early last evening Miss Minnie Swienhart of South Chicago finally was overcome, a package containing $296 was snatched from her hand, and the thief fled. The young woman then screamed for help and started in pursuit of the robber.

The man fled into an alley and a dozen persons joined in the chase of the fugitive, who finally was captured by John H. Huskie and turned over to the police.

As soon as the handkerchief was removed from his face the robber was recognized as John Daum, formerly an employe of the Metropolitan Insurance company, where Miss Swienhart is employed as cashier. The girl was just leaving the office at 9138 Commercial avenue, with money turned in during the day by collectors, when she was attacked.

VOICE OF PEOPLE SQUEAKS.

George Riddle So Tells Guests of Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor.

BECOMING SOPRANO NATION.

Elocutionist Finds Vocal Menace in Wear and Tear on Nerves.

"If we don't watch out we are going to become a nation of high sopranos, although at present we have only reached the point of expressing all of our sentiments—ethical, emotional and intellectual in a voice that screams."

The dismayed artists, men of letters, and people of fashion who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chatfield-Taylor last evening learned of this unsuspected national pitfall from the man who provided the entertainment for the occasion, George Riddle of Boston, a distinguished public speaker and friend of the host.

Love and Anger—Both in Treble.

By way of proving his first statement, Mr. Riddle reproduced our popular way of expressing our popular feelings of love, humility, excitement, anger, and the audience was convinced. Juliet wished herself no longer a Capulet in the treble clef, the politician declared his platform in a falsetto pitch—and the audience laughed because they hear the same expressions in the same pitch every time they go to a rally or attend a box party.

And it might be funny, Mr. Riddle would tell you, if it weren't so dangerous. Mental breakdowns, he says, are some of them traceable to our high pitched voices.

"A man of business broke down not so long ago because he talked so much and so loud that he fatigued his temples," he argued. "Then that fatigue in his temples affected his brain. Pretty soon his fatigued brain produced imperfect thought and indistinct speech."

Lose Our Beauty by Facial Twists.

Even our countenances are getting "spoiled" in our excited efforts to be emphatic, Mr. Riddle amplified on his theme.

"For the high pitch fails in emphasis and we seek to reinforce it with exaggerated facial contortions," he continued. "Then, too, we use catch phrases and superlative adjectives with accompanying expressions of countenance in trying to emphasize our point.

"The reason for our affliction extends into the roots of our nature. It is based on our extreme haste and impatience. We will not pause to restrain ourselves to the extent of speaking slowly and in a low pitch.

"And the only way to end this national affliction is to begin on the young. Tell the children that it is not masculine to pitch their voices as high as little sister's, and it will follow as the night the day that little sister will imitate the masculine example.

"To be able to sit in one's office, a man of affairs, and all day long to say to the stream of visitors in a controlled, low pitched voice, 'No, I don't care to go into that'; 'Thank you, I will take no shares in this—such a faculty is as great a luxury to possess as a steam yacht to him who measures his possessions in terms of health."

Eighty Guests Hear the Talk.

Something like eighty guests partook of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor's hospitality. It was one of the first entertainments they have given since they took the furnished residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Heisen, 65 Lake Shore drive, for the winter. Some of those present were Mrs. Harold McCormick, Mrs. John Mason Loomis, Judge and Mrs. George A. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. John Alden Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. George High, Henry B. Fuller, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hooper, Miss Ethel Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henrotin, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Tyson.

BIBULOUS CAPTAIN DISGRACE TO NAVY

Details of Qualtrough Court Martial Testimony Show Officer Intoxicated and Slouchy.

DECLARES HE WAS ILL.

Commander of Battleship Georgia Says He Didn't Want to Go to Function in Tangier.

New York, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—A copy of the record of the court martial which recently found Capt. Edward F. Qualtrough of the battleship Georgia guilty of intoxication and "conduct to the prejudice of good order and discipline" received today makes it possible to give for the first time an adequate summary of the evidence given for and against the accused officer.

The offense of which Capt. Qualtrough was found guilty and for which he was sentenced to suspension for six months and to the loss of ten numbers in his rating was committed on the night of Jan. 20 at a dinner given by United States Minister Gummere at Tangier in honor of Rear Admiral Wainwright, the officers of the battleships Georgia and Nebraska, and the foreign ministers at Tangier.

The official specifications as noted in the record charge that Capt. Qualtrough was "so much under the influence of some intoxicant as to be unfit for the proper performance of his duty," and also that he was so intoxicated "as by his bearing and actions to bring discredit upon the naval service."

Two Rear Admirals on Court.

The court which found him guilty was composed of Rear Admirals Schroeder and Potter and Capts. Niles, Hubbard, Murdock, Osterhaus, and Vreeland. The court met on board the flagship Louisiana off Gibraltar on Feb. 3 and 4. Seven witnesses testified for the prosecution and three for the defense, including Capt. Qualtrough himself.

The only definite testimony regarding the amount of liquor drunk by the accused captain at the dinner given by the United States minister was given by himself. He testified that he drank only sherry at the dinner, and sparingly of that, and had drunk absolutely nothing else all day long.

The first and principal witness against the commander of the battleship Georgia was Rear Admiral Richard Wainwright, commander of the second division of the Atlantic fleet. The admiral testified that immediately after the dinner he noticed the captain standing in the entrance of the reception room smoking.

Wainwright Finds Him Slouchy.

"As there were women in the reception room," he said, "I walked over to him and told him that this was no place to be smoking. He followed me toward the smoking room and finally sat down in a chair. From his manner and deportment I saw that he was under the influence of intoxicating liquor. The accused followed me, talking in a maudlin manner; he was slouchy as he sat down in the smoking room."

The admiral said that before the dinner he could not make up his mind whether Capt. Qualtrough had been drinking or not, but he did not think he was in his normal condition. Questioned as to whether he did not think the battleship Georgia a smart ship, he said that he considered her condition good, but not excellent, adding that "the captain handles his ship skillfully. I would like to add that on at least two occasions when the situation has been critical the captain has shown excellent nerve and judgment."

Lieut. Stephen Rowan of Rear Admiral Wainwright's staff, testified that he saw Capt. Qualtrough after the dinner, and that "he was then under the influence of intoxicating liquor to such an extent as to unfit him for the proper performance of his duties."

Duty to Attend Dinner.

Cross examined as to what he considered the duty of the captain on this occasion, Lieut. Rowan replied:

"The duty of the accused on this occasion was to attend this dinner as a proper representative of his ship."

Commander George W. Kline, executive officer of the Georgia, and now acting as its commander in Capt. Qualtrough's place, testified that he saw Capt. Qualtrough about midnight, when he came aboard after attending the dinner. In his opinion the captain was "somewhat under the influence of liquor," but he declared that he was not unfit for the proper performance of his duty.

"Would you have been willing," asked the captain's counsel, "for Capt. Qualtrough to have taken the bridge of the Georgia for fleet evolutions?"

"Yes," replied the witness. He had said that before the captain came aboard he had received orders from Admiral Wainwright to place the captain under suspension as soon as he came aboard.

Captain Sorry It Happened.

The captain expressed regret when he informed him of the admiral's order and said he was sorry that it had happened. He added that he advised him to go in immediately and see the admiral, because he did not think his condition was such as to incapacitate him for the performance of his duty.

Lieut. Pope Washington of the Georgia testified that he thought the captain was not under the influence of liquor until after the dinner. He sat nearly opposite him at the dinner and thought his bearing normal there. He acted while at table like a sober man, though the dinner lasted two hours, and he didn't notice that the accused drank too much wine. He thought he would have noticed it had that been the case.

The only liquor served after the dinner was a light punch in the dining room, and Lieut. Washington was sure that Capt. Qualtrough had gone out before it was served.

Lieut. Z. H. Madison of the Georgia testified to the same effect. He noticed that the captain's speech was thick and confused and that he appeared unsteady on his feet in the smoking room.

Ensign Arthur B. Cook gave similar testimony, being followed by Capt. F. Nicholson of the battleship Nebraska.

Normal Until After Dinner.

Capt. Nicholson testified that he and Capt. Qualtrough went to the dinner together, riding from the shore to the hotel on mules. He noticed nothing unusual about the Georgia's commander until after the dinner, when he saw him in the smoking room.

"I judged that he was intoxicated," said the witness. He went on to say that he knew Capt. Qualtrough had been ill for some time. The doctor told him that the accused had been quite sick and had been on a diet.

"I was convinced that his physical condi-

tion was far from what it should be," said Capt. Nicholson. "He told me on Jan. 30 that he had been up since 4 o'clock in the morning and was feeling rocky."

The witness said that many men were smoking at the dining table, though there were women present at the time. As to the accused's condition in the smoking room the witness said:

"I think it quite probable that it might not have been noticed except by those well acquainted with him." This ended the evidence for the prosecution.

Lieut. E. P. Evars, who was officer of the deck aboard the Georgia at the time Capt. Qualtrough came aboard from attending the dinner, was the first witness called for the defense. He said that he did not notice anything out of the way about the captain's condition when he saw him come aboard.

Surgeon R. P. Crandall of the Georgia testified that he had been Capt. Qualtrough's medical adviser and had had him under treatment for gastric catarrh and some minor ailments. The physical condition of the accused was poor, but he had been able to do duty.

On the morning of the day the dinner was given the captain had complained of feeling seedy, of having been up more or less continually in the night, and said that his stomach was not in good condition and that he did not care for food.

Little Would Show Effect.

"Would not a small amount of intoxicant have had an unusual effect upon him on that day?" asked counsel.

"Yes, I think it would," replied the doctor. "It frequently happens that a person in not very good physical condition, especially stomachic, is affected unduly by a small amount of intoxicant."

The witness also said that the visible effect of too much tobacco on a man in the captain's condition would perhaps make him a "little somnolent or dazed."

Capt. Qualtrough then testified in his own behalf. He said that he arose at 4 o'clock on the morning of Jan. 30. He told of going to attend the dinner, saying:

"I had felt badly all day and I had no desire to go out to dinner or any other entertainment, but I was ordered to go. I felt worse when I got to the hotel than when I left the ship.

"I sat at one table with the Mme. Vavorro and a Miss Lister. There was an American woman at the table with the wife of a Russian diplomat. I was compelled to entertain these women because I had met them. It was a great exertion. I wanted to go home then.

Drinks Lightly of Sherry.

"They served three kinds of wine at the dinner—a sherry, a claret, and a champagne. Feeling so badly I tasted nothing but the sherry and I partook sparingly of the sherry. I drank nothing else during the evening except the sherry in a small sherry glass.

"Whether or not it was filled up again I did not notice. In any event, it was a small amount."

The accused captain then told of going to the reception room and hearing Admiral Wainwright say something about smoking. He then went to the smoking room, where about fifteen men were smoking.

"I was feeling ill," he added, "and did not know what was the matter."

Soon after that he told Consul General Phillips that he would go back to his ship, as he was feeling badly, and had not felt well all day.

Returns to Shore on Mule.

He then went out of the hotel, called the man with his mule, mounted and rode down the steep, uneven hill to the water front, got into his launch, and went off to his ship.

He told how Commander Kline had then come to him and told him of his suspension. He asked that officer his opinion of his condition and Commander Kline replied:

"Well, Captain, I think you have been drinking, but if I were to go on the witness stand I should have to say that you were perfectly fit for duty. I think that you are capable of going on the bridge of this ship and getting it under way."

"My own feeling," said the captain, "was one of extreme illness. I wanted to be quiet and sit still. I wanted to get out of the place and go home. I drank nothing in the shape of a cocktail before dinner, and I drank nothing after dinner, and, as I stated, I drank sparingly of the sherry during the dinner. That constituted all that I drank.

Drank More on Ship.

"I have recently been to two dinners in the wardroom of the Georgia with Admiral Wainwright present, and at each of these dinners I certainly took four times as much wine, in addition to a cocktail preceding, as I drank at this dinner."

He was certainly not affected by what he drank at these wardroom dinners, he said. This closed the defense.

Counsel for the defense called attention to the facts that Capt. Qualtrough had had nothing to eat for nearly twelve hours before the dinner, and though he had no liquor up to the time of the dinner, Admiral Wainwright has testified that on seeing him just before the dinner he did not think the accused was in his normal condition.

Counsel reviewed the evidence that Capt. Qualtrough drank but little at dinner, that he was at no time boisterous, disorderly, or obtrusive, and declared that the accused's experience gave him no reason to suppose that so small a quantity of wine would affect him unfavorably.

No Reason for Intoxication.

"Under normal conditions," said counsel for the accused, "the small amount of sherry drunk by the accused was certainly not a sufficient cause for intoxication, yet this has been shown to be the only intoxicating liquor taken by the accused on Jan. 30. No man can justly be held to have indulged in alcoholic drink who takes one-third the amount consumed generally by those about him at a decorous public dinner, particularly if the amount which he takes is less than experience shows to be innocuous."

Following this testimony and plea the conviction of Capt. Qualtrough was voted and sentence determined.

BANK PRESIDENT GUILTY OF BRIBING COUNCILMAN.

W. W. Ramsey Convicted in Pittsburg of Offering Official Money to Pass Ordinance for Him.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 18.—W. W. Ramsey, former president of the German National bank, was today found guilty as indicted in connection with the recent graft exposures. The jury returned a sealed verdict last night, which was opened when court convened today.

Ramsey was accused of bribing Councilman John F. Klein by giving him $17,500, for which Klein was to secure the passage of an ordinance making the bank a depository for city funds.

Ramsey's attorneys will ask for a new trial. Under the verdict the defendant is liable to a sentence of fourteen years and a fine of $22,000. Ramsey was not present when the verdict was received.

Immediately following the Ramsey verdict Councilman Klein was placed on trial on a charge of soliciting a bribe. Klein pleaded "not guilty" and the selection of a jury was taken up.

AGED CITY EMPLOYE HURT.

Henry R. Pierce Struck by Electric Car, Badly Cut About Face, and May Lose His Left Foot.

Henry R. Pierce, 77 years old, assistant superintendent in the city sewer department, was knocked down and had his left foot crushed last evening at North Clark and Rosemont avenue by a south bound electric car. His face was badly cut and his knees severely lacerated. He was taken to Alexian Brothers' hospital. It was said a part of the foot would have to be amputated.

EX-SCHOOL TEACHER SET FREE.

Woman Accused of Stealing $20 Worth of Books Discharged by Judge Foster.

A charge of larceny preferred against Mrs. Mary L. Spengler, a former school teacher, by the board of education was dismissed yesterday by Judge Foster. Mrs. Spengler was accused of having stolen $20 worth of books from the Walsh and Bernard schools. The case was taken from the jury by the court when the prosecution failed to prove when the books were taken.

LAWMAKERS GIVE DAY TO REAL WORK

Assembly Forgets Senatorial Gayety and Knuckles Down to Plain Duty.

BILLS IN AID OF LABOR.

Bank Guaranty, Uniform Text Books, and More Money for Charity Asked.

BY C. S. R.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Although the affair of Mr. Hopkins and the primary law versus Speaker Shurtleff and Congressman Lorimer presented a new and interesting feature today, the esteemed legislature seemed to have made a great and important effort to forget its diversions and give attention to its plain and ordinary duties of regulating the state and providing for the welfare of its citizens.

It was as if the esteemed legislature had awakened suddenly from a nap to a realization that it had not fed the stock or done the chores and had gone dashing out of the house with water buckets, milk pails, and pitchforks swinging in the air.

It gave only a passing glance at the interesting spectacle of Representative John Flannigen of East St. Louis, the man who placed Mr. Hopkins in nomination for reëlection, in the attitude of declaring that the senator's race was done and of declaring his vote for Shurtleff.

It gave only a passing thought to the significance of this break in the southern Illinois Hopkins ranks and to the fact that Congressman Rodenburg and United States District Attorney William E. Trautman, in permitting Mr. Flannigen to take this wild and reckless break at freedom, had set fire to the bridges which connect them with the present senator and the organization.

One Day's Record in Plain Duty.

The esteemed legislature was intent on its plain and ordinary duties, and the record of activity shown was the following:

Administration of estates—Bill introduced in the senate to abolish the highly lucrative office of public administrator.

Banks—Bill introduced to establish the Oklahoma system of bank guaranty in Illinois.

Bar—Bill providing for a more ornamental and "chivalrous" oath to be taken by applicants for admission to the practice of law, killed in the senate, it being the opinion of the members of that body that it would be unfair to set up a standard of such ethical beauty that, while it might be noble, it also might be inconvenient.

Charitable institutions — Administration bills asking for an increase of $1,689,000 over the last appropriation for the improvement of the asylums and state schools, introduced in both houses.

Bills in Regard to Courts.

Courts.—Resolution calling on the Circuit judges to obey the constitution and report to the general assembly the number of days on which they have held court in the different counties of their districts, passed by the house, numerous legislators being of the opinion that there would be no need of creating additional circuits if all the judges were working energetically.

Courts (continued).—Bills providing for state publication of Supreme and Appellate court reports and making a salaried position for the reporters of the two courts, introduced in the senate.

Labor.—Resolution memorializing congress to endeavor to give greater security to mine workers through the establishment of a department of mines, already passed by the senate, adopted by the house, and eight bills designed to give greater protection to Illinois miners introduced in the senate.

Schools.—Bill providing for the adoption of uniform text books and establishing maximum prices for them, introduced in the senate.

Mine Accidents Prompt Bills.

Recent mine accidents, especially in Illinois, produced the bills which Senator Gardner introduced, all being intended to protect the health and safety of mine workers, making provision for the ventilation of mines, for the protection of the men in carriages, and at the hoists, for the inspection of timber and props, for fire protection, making it the duty of shot firers to charge and do all the firing of blasts in mines, increasing the duties of mine examiners, and regulating the firing of blasts.

One of the Gardner bills provides that it shall be the duty of the mine manager to assign one competent miner to be designated as a timber inspector for every 100 miners employed in each mine. It is made the duty of the timber inspector to watch for dangerous roof conditions and to require the miners to secure the same.

Another bill provides that a fire pump isolated from other surface buildings, with necessary pipe or hose connections, shall be provided at all mines ready for immediate use in case of fire.

For State Control of Dunning.

The administration bills for the maintenance and improvement of the state institutions include a measure anticipating the state control of the Dunning asylum, an appropriation of $385,740 being asked for the operation of that portion of the Cook county institutions.

An appropriation for the establishment of an epileptic colony is asked and provision is made for the purchase of a site for a new insane asylum.

A comparison of the appropriations made by the last legislature with the requests made this year for the seventeen charitable institutions of the state shows the following:

Institution.	1907.	1909.	Increase.
Jacksonville insane.	$ 532,500	$ 660,300	$ 127,800
Kankakee insane...	997,400	1,278,100	280,700
Elgin insane.......	552,300	733,000	180,700
Anna insane........	481,700	836,000	354,000
Watertown insane..	540,000	577,300	37,300
Criminal insane ...	84,400	98,400	14,000
Bartonville	855,000	966,400	111,400
Industrial Home for blind	103,000	166,831	63,831
School for blind ...	126,200	152,480	26,280
School for deaf	300,000	343,500	43,500
Lincoln	453,700	757,000	303,300
Soldiers' home.....	658,386	531,900	*126,486
Soldiers' Wid. home	46,800	79,500	32,700
Soldiers' Orp. home.	165,322	175,600	10,278
Eye and ear infirm.	113,863	118,000	4,137
Train. Sch. for girls	316,531	375,500	58,969
St. Charles school ..	276,300	442,000	166,300
Totals	$6,603,402	$8,292,411	$1,689,000

*Decrease.

For New State Hospital Site.

Senator Hurburgh introduced the bill for an appropriation of $110,000 for locating and purchasing a site for a new state hospital for the insane, the appropriation for the construction to be made in 1911.

Senator Hurburgh also introduced the bill for the establishment of an epileptic colony, asking for an appropriation of $110,000 for this purpose.

Senator Potter introduced a uniform text book bill providing that the state superintendent of public instruction and the superintendents of schools or a majority of them in convention shall decide what text books shall be adopted for use in the schools after Sept. 1, 1909. The maximum prices fixed by the bill follow:

Spelling books	$0.15
First reader	.15
Second reader	.20
Third reader	.30
Fourth reader	.40
Fifth reader	.50
Mental arithmetic	.25
Arithmetic, intermediate	.35
Arithmetic, complete	.75
English grammar, elementary	.25
English grammar, complete	.50
Physiology and hygiene	.50
History, primary	.50
History, grammar school	.75
Elements of natural philosophy	.50
Civil government	.50
Elementary algebra	.60
Physical geography	.80
Copy books	.05

For Reform in Court Reports.

Senator Potter also introduced the bills which aim to have Supreme and Appellate court reports published by the state and sold to lawyers at reduced price. An effort to bring about this reform in publication was made at the last session, but all it succeeded in doing was to stir up a life sized row among the legislators.

The Potter bills fix the price at $1.50 a volume and place the reporters under a salary of $6,000 a year, giving each an assistant at $2,000 a year, providing that the copyrights of the reports shall remain in the state, and that the contracts for publishing shall be given to the lowest responsible bidder.

Walter C. Jones, the new senate leader, has been connected with the firm handling the Appellate court reports.

Representative Tippit introduced the resolution, which the house passed, calling on the Circuit court judges of the state and the Superior court judges of Cook county to report the number of days on which they have held court.

More Cook County Judges Asked.

The legislature is preparing to reapportion the state into a large number of judicial districts to give more judges and a bill seeking an increase in the number of Cook county judges has been introduced.

It was Mr. Tippit's idea, and the house by its adoption of the resolution backed him up, that the judges do not work enough. In presenting his resolution he said that if they did there would be no necessity for an increase in the number. Only twelve of the judges have filed the reports which the constitution requires them to submit biennially.

Before the house passed the resolution demanding the reports one of its provisions, calling for the postponement of all attempts at reapportionment until the judges had sent in their statements, was cut out.

Senator Billings introduced the bill to abolish the office of public administrator with the explanation that it "is unnecessary and can be spared readily, being more or less of an imposition and a means of extortion."

Democrat Offers Guaranty Plan.

It was Mr. Billings' bill amending the form of oath to be administered to applicants for admission to the bar that was killed by the striking out of its enacting clause on the second reading in the senate.

The new form for which the senators refused to stand was that approved by the American Bar association.

The bank guaranty bill was introduced in the house by Representative De Wolf, a Democrat. It provides for an assessment of capital stock equal to one-half of 1 per cent on the average daily deposits to create the depositors' guaranty fund, provides for a state commissioner of banking at a salary of $3,000 a year, and for a banking commission to be composed of the governor, state auditor, and the bank commissioner.

Long Threatened Break Occurs.

It was after all this had been started that the joint session of the two houses was held for the purpose of "electing a United States senator," and that Mr. Hopkins, in addition to losing Mr. Flannigen, dropped to 65 votes.

If it had just been Mr. Flannigen who deserted Mr. Hopkins the opposition might have cheered, though it would not have hung out flags and decorated the statehouse, but in addition to being Mr. Flannigen it also was the man who had been chosen to place Mr. Hopkins' name in nomination when candidates were first submitted to the will of the legislature, and it was a break in the southern Illinois ranks—a long threatened and much postponed break.

Mr. Hopkins, by working with Congressman Rodenberg, was thought to have solidified the southern end of the state and to have it where no danger of loss need be feared.

"For the first time in my legislative career," said Mr. Flannigen, "I desire to explain my vote. For about six weeks we have been struggling to elect a United States senator. In my humble opinion no man who is now in the race ever can be elected to that office, and I believe it to be the duty of myself and every member here who has the interest of this state at heart to do anything and everything that he can to end this deadlock if it is possible to be done.

Says Cause Long Has Been Lost.

"I believe for myself that I have discharged that last full measure of devotion to a cause long since lost. I believe it my duty now to vote for some one or any one who will help in the ending of this deadlock, and for the present I desire to be recorded as voting for Edward D. Shurtleff."

When he had finished this little talk from the heart the anti-Hopkins Republicans and the Democrats rejoiced greatly, cheering so loudly that the innocent citizens of Springfield ran out in the streets without their hats to ascertain where the earthquake was.

Several Democratic statesmen, including Representative Bolin, became so affected that they threw hats and books in the air. Mr. Bolin made a distinct hit by throwing his hat first and then trying to hit it with a book.

While the unfeeling opposition thus welcomed the stranger to its midst Mr. Deneen was entertaining Congressman Lorimer in the executive office. They were informed of the cause of the noise and Mr. Lorimer expressed his regrets.

NEMESIS OF "BAD MAN" FLEES IN TERROR FROM CLAWHAMMER

"Bat" Masterson, Gun Fighter, Beats Retreat When Called Upon to Attend White House Reception.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—"Bat" Masterson, gun fighter, terror of the old frontier, now deputy United States marshal in New York, showed the white feather today. He fled tonight in panic from an evening suit and the army and navy reception in the White house. The first news his friends here got of his precipitate flight was conveyed in a telegram from Baltimore.

"Bat" is a long time friend of President Roosevelt, who had him come to the White house. Masterson was a guest of the president at luncheon and Mr. Roosevelt urged him to attend his last official reception tendered to the army and navy. The idea didn't appeal to the visitor.

"Nonsense," said the president. "You've got to come. Remember, it's my last reception. You'll come, won't you?"

"Sure," replied "Bat," carried off his feet by the president's enthusiastic persistence. When he returned to the hotel he confided to a friend that he was as nervous as a school girl and he could not and would not go. He would telephone his decision to the president.

"Aw, forget it!" said this friend. "You're just my build and you can have my evening clothes."

The valet was called, the evening clothes laid out, and the friend went to attend to some business, first making an engagement with "Bat" for dinner at 7:30 o'clock in a downtown hotel.

It was after 8 o'clock and the Good Samaritan was mentally cursing Masterson's tardiness when a bellboy entered the café calling his name. The friend tore open the yellow envelope addressed to him and found therein a telegram dated at Baltimore an hour previous. It read:

"I ain't going to attend any reception. Am headed east."

It was signed "Bat Masterson."

JUDGE CREIGHTON A CANDIDATE.

Announces That He Seeks Re-election in the Seventh Illinois Circuit.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Judge James A. Creighton made the announcement today that he was a candidate for reëlection in the Seventh judicial circuit. The petitions necessary under the primary law were filed with the secretary of state on behalf of Judge Creighton, who is the fourth candidate to seek the Democratic nomination in the district.

Shercliffe Begins Sentence in West.

Canon City, Colo., Feb. 18.—Frank Shercliffe, who was recently acquitted in Minneapolis of the charge of robbing a Northern Pacific train in Montana, arrived here in the custody of Colorado officers this afternoon and was placed in the penitentiary to begin his sentence of twenty-five years for murder at Leadville.

TIPS FOR VOTERS ON 62 CANDIDATES

Municipal League Issues Report Giving Advice on Aldermanic Nominations.

ONLY 33 RECOMMENDED.

Seven "Not Qualified," Eleven "Objectionable," and Eleven Urged for Defeat.

NOMINATION URGED.

Ward.		Ward.	
6—Theo. K. Long, R.		26—W. F. Lipps, R.	
7—C. E. Merriam, R.		27—Louis D. Binyon, R.	
12—Michael Zimmer, D.		27—J. W. McGaffey, D.	
24—W. E. Schlake, D.		32—Albert J. Fisher, R.	
25—W. P. Dunn, R.		35—Geo. C. Sikes, D.	

NOMINATION RECOMMENDED.

4—John W. McNeal, D.	14—J. F. Connery, D.
5—John W. Biddle, R.	15—H. Utpatel, R.
6—S. Kahnweiler, D.	15—C. F. Gruner, D.
8—Alfred P. Aspin, R.	21—F. W. Taylor, R.
8—J. R. Emerson, D.	24—Otto W. Ulrich, R.
9—M. Rosenberg, R.	24—G. F. Seggeling, R.
9—George Sultan, D.	28—Harry E. Littler, R.
10—C. G. Foucek, R.	29—M. A. Mueller, R.
11—A. R. Fifer, R.	30—J. J. Healy, D.
11—J. F. Joyce, D.	31—James A. Kearns, R.
13—Henry L. Bailey, D.	33—H. M. Sloan, R.
14—J. H. Lawley, R.	

FOUND NOT QUALIFIED.

7—J. M. Freese, R.	31—J. J. Nolan, R.
8—Michael Nash, D.	32—A. C. Metzger, R.
15—D. J. Heman, D.	33—E. W. Jager, R.
24—J. Sychowski, D.	

FOUND OBJECTIONABLE.

7—F. A. Harper, R.	14—M. F. Maher, D.
9—Jacob Perbohner, R.	14—J. G. Bamber, D.
12—J. B. Hannum, R.	24—A. Krumholz, D.
12—Louis Besserer, R.	27—Hans Blase, D.
12—Bohumil Novy, D.	31—P. J. O'Connell, D.
12—A. J. Cermak, D.	

DEFEAT URGED.

4—J. M. Dailey, D.	15—Herman Kruger, D.
5—Alex. Burke, R.	27—J. F. Capp, R.
8—P. J. Moynihan, R.	29—J. Downey, D.
9—D. J. Egan, D.	30—M. McInerney, D.
10—T. F. Scully, D.	33—W. C. Hunt, R.
11—E. F. Cullerton, D.	

The Municipal Voters' league took a definite stand yesterday concerning sixty-two candidates—for aldermanic nomination—who are to be chosen by direct primary vote next Tuesday. The remainder of the candidates, whose names will appear upon the official ballots, were merely catalogued as to their name, address, and occupation.

The report, which marks the first time the league has dealt with candidates prior to the nominations, was issued over the signatures of Henry B. Favill, president, and Kellogg Fairbank, secretary, of the league. It had to do only with those wards in which there are either Republican or Democratic contests.

In twenty-four wards the league urges or commends thirty-three candidates in both parties. Seven are reported "not qualified." Eleven are found "objectionable for various reasons," and defeat is the remedy prescribed for eleven others. The league's bulletin is colorless so far as recommendations with regard to the other candidates are concerned.

The league holds that the most important contests will be found in the Seventh, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Fourteenth, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Thirty-third, and Thirty-fifth wards.

Balance Held by Voters.

"The voters," says the report, "can decide most of these contests. Under the direct primary law the situation is in their hands. In several wards the primary is more important than the general election, as the candidate nominated is likely to be elected."

In the Fourth the league says ex-Ald. Dailey, on his record, "is far more objectionable" than Ald. McNeal. In the Fifth, after speaking of the "bad council record" of Ald. Burke, the report says that "by nominating John W. Biddle the voters can secure a good candidate."

The Seventh ward fight commands much attention.

"No candidate in many years with qualifications superior to those of C. E. Merriam," says the report, "has gone before the Republican voters in a Chicago ward. Francis A. Harper, lawyer; energetic and intelligent, but lacks the special training and practical experience in public affairs which characterize Merriam. There is a lack of frankness in disclosing the influences and the character of the support behind Harper which should excite the distrust of voters."

"Vote for Aspin to defeat Moynihan" is the message to the Eighth ward Republicans. Concerning the Ninth ward Democratic fight the report says Ald. Egan's council record "deserves rebuke."

Support of Charles G. Foucek in the Tenth is recommended on the Republican side, while the report says Ald. Scully has a "bad council record."

"John F. Joyce will win if properly supported," declares the league with regard to the Eleventh ward Democratic row.

Candidates Below Standard.

"Neither Republican candidate is up to the standard set by this ward in recent years," the league holds with regard to the Twelfth ward long term candidates. "Ald. Zimmer's long and faithful service make him the choice of all thoughtful voters."

Joseph F. Connery, Democrat, in the Fifteenth, is held "superior in every way to Michael F. Maher, a chronic candidate."

"Ald. Kruger's council records demand his retirement," says the league of the Fifteenth.

The report says of Joseph F. Capp, a Republican candidate in the Twenty-seventh: "Deputy sheriff; once sheet metal worker, but since 1900 has held public jobs as window washer, elevator man, jail guard, clerk in county treasurer's office; court bailiff and deputy sheriff; has also been a bartender; lacks ability and experience; absolutely unfit to be alderman."

Louis D. Binyon, the "want ad" candidate, is recommended.

"He has never held public office," says the report, "a man of integrity, force, and ability, well qualified."

J. Wyatt McGaffey is recommended to those Democrats of the ward "who wish to keep Hans Blase out of the council."

In the Thirty-third, Hunt's council record is condemned and H. M. Sloan is held as possessing "the best prospect of beating Hunt and Metzger and intelligent voters should unite on him."

In the Thirty-fifth George C. Sikes is declared to be one of the best candidates before the voters.

SIKES JABS ROGER SULLIVAN

Declares He Is Glad of Democratic Boss' Open Hostility.

MAKES REPLIES TO CHARGES

Accuses National Committeeman of Being in Politics for Money.

Reformer George C. Sikes replied twice yesterday to Reformer Roger C. Sullivan—once in a public statement that he issued in response to Sullivan's criticism of his candidacy for the Democratic aldermanic nomination in the Thirty-fifth ward, and again at a meeting in his interests in the evening. The written statement was the more forcible utterance of the two.

"Roger Sullivan squeals and squirms as if he had received a blow in the region of the pocketbook," was the opening of the written reply. "His statement regarding me contains some truth and much inaccuracy."

His speech at a campaign meeting in Zeich's hall, Forty-fourth avenue and West Superior street, was more voluminous, but so far as the controversy was concerned it was not so concise as the manuscript sent to the newspapers. His chief additional criticism of Sullivan was directed at his activity in council committee meetings in behalf of certain corporations.

Written Reply by Sikes.

Part of the statement follows:

"I first made the acquaintance of Mr. Sullivan in 1897. I was then a newspaper correspondent at Springfield and he was at the state capital lobbying for gas bills and using his influence with Democratic members of the legislature to promote the private interests of himself and his associates of the gas companies. From that time to the present I have usually felt called upon to oppose both his business and his political activities.

"While I did not invite the opposition of Sullivan at the outset, I am glad he is now out openly against me. I started out with the declaration that I merely wanted to be alderman; that I had no intention of making war on existing party organizations and leaders, provided they should not seek to interfere with me in the performance of my duties as alderman in case I should be elected. I have made no special promises, express or implied, to any man in return for support of my candidacy. I welcome all the support I can get on those conditions, whether it comes from long hairs, short hairs, silks, or just plain citizens. I am not so fastidious as Mr. Sullivan, who evidently would prefer defeat in his political ambitions to association with men who do not wear their hair in the approved style of his political set."

The other speakers at the ward meeting were Lawrence E. McGann, A. B. Adair, and W. H. Holly. Joseph E. Francis presided as chairman.

Candidates Indorsed by Party.

Republican aldermanic candidates in twenty-nine of the thirty-five wards will go to the polls next Tuesday with the full backing and support of the party organization and the party machinery. The managing committee will meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon to arrange the final details for primary day, and to authorize the issuance of the marked specimen ballot and the credentials for challengers. The organization ballot will be marked for Isaac N. Powell for city treasurer and for the first Jacob H. Marks on the list for city clerk.

The aldermanic candidates who will have the support of the party organization are:

1—W. A. Brush.	17—Lewis D. Sitts.
2—Geo. F. Harding Jr.	20—John P. Stewart.
3—Milton J. Foreman.	21—F. W. Taylor.
5—Alex. J. Burke.	22—Arthur Josetti.
6—Theo. K. Long.	23—Jacob Hey.
7—Chas. E. Merriam.	25—W. P. Dunn.
8—P. J. Moynihan.	26—Wm. F. Lipps.
9—Jacob Perbohner.	27—Joseph F. Capp.
10—Michael C. Hoy.	28—Harry E. Littler.
11—Christian Link.	29—Matt A. Mueller.
12—*Louis Besserer.	30—Henry Van Houten.
12—†Rudolph Mulac.	31—James A. Kearns.
13—A. W. Fulton.	32—A. J. Fisher.
14—James H. Lawley.	33—A. C. Metzger.
15—Hy. Utpatel.	35—Frank L. Race.

*Long term. †Short term.

Some Omissions Explained.

The Fourth ward organization has no candidate, and in the Sixteenth and Eighteenth no petitions were filed by Republicans. In the Nineteenth the organization withheld indorsement of either of the two Republicans who filed. The peculiar situation in the Twenty-fourth, where there are four candidates—all organization men—precluded the slating of any one of them. The Lorimer organization in the Thirty-fourth has no interest in either of the two Republican candidates there.

Opposing candidates are getting much worked up over the fact that each individual candidate may not have a challenger in the polling places while the votes are being counted Tuesday night. The direct primary law provides that the precinct committeeman of each party is authorized to name two challengers and two alternates for his precinct, and none others need apply. This is the first time that the provision of the law has been possible of enforcement. The individual candidates have nothing to say about the matter.

Emergency Rule Is Made.

Rearrangements for precinct boundaries has thrown two or more committeemen in the same new precinct and has left other new precincts without a committeeman. The election commissioners have ruled that under these two conditions the challengers shall be named by the managing committee. The Republican managing committee will perform that duty today. The Democratic executive committee will meet at 2:30 tomorrow and the central committee at 3 o'clock for that purpose and to issue challengers' credentials.

The fight between Francis D. Connery and James R. Considine for the Democratic nomination for city clerk is getting torrid. Considine has been indorsed by a half dozen Democratic ward organizations in spite of the slating of Connery by the county committee. Railroad employés and board of trade men organized five clubs yesterday in Considine's interests.

The Twenty-fifth Ward Democratic club has indorsed Connery for city clerk, Harry Hildreth for city treasurer, and Charles E. Zollers for alderman.

Massmeeting in Woodlawn.

A massmeeting in the interest of Charles E. Merriam, Republican candidate for alderman in the Seventh ward, and Isaac N. Powell for city clerk will be held tonight at 387 East Fifty-fifth street. Speakers will be Dr. W. O. Nance, Marquis Eaton, Isaac N. Powell, and Charles E. Merriam.

The Norwegian Republican club of the Twenty-eighth ward has indorsed the candidacy for alderman of Harry E. Littler.

A massmeeting in the interest of Frank L. Race, Republican candidate for the aldermanic nomination in the Thirty-fifth ward, will be held tonight at the Swedish Lutheran church, Waller avenue and Iowa street.

SECOND DEADLOCK OVER STEPHENSON

Wisconsin Committee Splits Even in Effort to Summon Legislative Witness.

INTO COURT FOR A WRIT.

Injunction Sought to Head Off U. S. Senatorial Inquiry at Madison.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The legislative senatorial investigation committee tonight split evenly on the question of bringing Senator Blaine, who is largely credited with the movement for the inquiry, before the committee, and compelling him to tell where he got information on which he based his charges of corrupt and illegal use of money in the primaries by United States Senator Stephenson.

It was supposed the committee stood five to three on all questions affecting Stephenson, but one assembly member voted with the anti-Stephenson members on this proposition.

It is believed Blaine received his information from United States Senator La Follette or National Committeeman Rogers, who is La Follette's law partner.

The committee engaged in heated discussion of the matter in open session after spending an hour in executive session upon it. Finally it was decided to let the matter go over until tomorrow.

Senator Lehr tonight formally asked the attorney general to institute a suit to restrain payment of money by the state to defray the expenses of the investigation, but he declined to do so.

The bill making the appropriation of $5,000 for the purpose was signed by the government today and officially published this evening.

Injunction Aimed at Inquiry.

Senator Lehr tomorrow morning will apply to the Supreme court for an injunction. The court has consented to meet half an hour earlier than usual to hear the petition.

Ex-Senator W. H. Hatton was recalled when the committee reconvened this morning. He was asked a number of questions regarding alleged defects in the primary election law, and told the committee he believed a law should be passed limiting campaign expenses within reasonable bounds.

Assemblyman Reynolds of Door county, who was paid $180 by Stephenson for work during the primary campaign, told the committee how he spent the money given him. He said he hired men, and did work himself in getting signatures to nominating petitions and working generally for Stephenson. All the money he got from Stephenson he paid out to helpers, he said.

J. H. Puelicher, cashier of the Marshall and Ilsley bank in Milwaukee, testified he handled $98,000 of money distributed by Stephenson through the regular routine of banking channels.

Deadlock Goes Merrily On.

The thirteenth ballot for United States senator in joint convention of the legislature gave Senator Stephenson 61 out of 130 votes cast, still lacking five of a majority. The vote was:

Stephenson, 61; Brown, 17; Rummel, 4; Sanborn, 2; Estabrook, 4; Martin, 6; Esch, 3; Randolph, 2; Cooper, 3; Strange, 2; Hoard, 3; Owen, 2; Cook, 2; Morris, 2; McGovern, 2; and one each for Drought, Farrell, Davidson, Scott, Wehrwein, Towne, Bray, Webb, Lenroot, Reynolds, Risley, Morse, Lockney, McConnell, and Fridd.

Skull Broken in Fall.

Stephen Dragotis suffered a fractured skull yesterday when he fell down a freight elevator shaft at the Chicago and Northwestern railroad station. He is a teamster, and lives at 133 West Eighteenth street.

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CITY BARS MILK WITH STATE O. K.

Dr. Evans Objects to Product of Farmer Given Certificate by Dr. J. A. Egan.

ALLEGES FEVER PERIL.

Illinois Body Found No Germs, but Evanston Physician Recalls Epidemic.

Considerable bad blood has been engendered between the city health department and the state board of health over the attempt on the part of Dr. Evans, city health commissioner, to exclude the milk of Gilbert Boersma, a farmer of Mount Greenwood, Ill., from the city, despite the certificate given him by Dr. James A. Egan, secretary of the state board. Dr. Evans has accumulated a mass of evidence to show that Boersma's milk was infected with diphtheria germs and had caused epidemics of that disease even after it had been passed upon as being all right by the state board of health.

Dr. Evans also has procured evidence which he claims shows this is not the only instance where the state board of health has certified to the purity and cleanliness of milk which has proved to be germ laden, and he declares emphatically he will rely entirely upon his own inspection of the milk supply of this city, and will not be guided in any manner by the recommendations of Dr. Egan or his inspectors.

In furtherance of this plan he sent Dr. B. E. Sherman and W. H. S. Dring, inspectors from the health department, out to Boersma's farm yesterday, but they were unable to get into the place at all, as no one was at home except a young girl, who was much frightened when they made known their errand.

Accuses State Board of Delay.

Among those who have supplied Dr. Evans with ammunition against the state board of health is Dr. Henry B. Hemenway of Evanston. He wrote to the city health department during the day inclosing a number of letters relative to a scarlet fever epidemic which raged in Evanston and other places last spring, and which was traced to a supply of milk coming from Genoa Junction. In these letters it is shown the state board of health delayed fully a week after they were informed of the contamination of the milk supply at Genoa Junction.

In this present controversy over Boersma, the state board of health reports the insanitary conditions which were found at his farm last spring have been rectified, and that Boersma has moved to a new location where new buildings have been erected, and where everything, including the water supply for the cows, is pure and sanitary.

Calls It "Worse than Before."

Replying to this, Dr. Evans makes the following statement:

"Boersma has moved his dairy about one-quarter of a mile. It is on the same farm, but instead of being back from the road he has moved it right up to the road, west of a line of roadhouses. The sewage from these roadhouses flows into the creek from which his cows get their water supply, and that creek also waters his pastures.

"After he had moved, and after Dr. Egan had certified that his milk was all right, we discovered that there was a case of diphtheria in his house, and that his daughter died of that disease.

"We also found that there was a case of diphtheria at one of the roadhouses, and that the drainage from that house flowed into his creek.

"When he could not sell his milk in Chicago, we found he delivered it to the Morgan Park academy, and that diphtheria appeared there and later he supplied milk to a Swedish school, and the same disease made its appearance there.

"These facts could all have been obtained by the state board of health. We had them in this office, and would have been glad to have given them to any officer of the state board."

"Repeated Spurs from Evanston."

In commenting upon the conditions which he found during the scarlet fever epidemic last spring, and which Dr. Evans proposes to use in his present crusade, Dr. Hemenway says in a letter published in the Journal of the American Medical Association:

"The public is entitled to know the facts. Up to the present the state board of health has not published them, though it is now more than a year since the epidemic.

"If, as Dr. Egan says, the only complaint came from Evanston, it shows that only because of the repeated spurs from Evanston Dr. Baker was sent to Genoa Junction on Jan. 25, and not till then was anything really done.

"If, as stated by Dr. Egan, the board was unable to find any evidence to substantiate the claim that disease came from the infected milk, why was the shipment of milk stopped, as Dr. Egan says it was?"

Dr. Egan Gives His Side.

Dr. Egan's report on the same matter contained the following:

"Jan. 16, 1907, the state board of health, which Dr. Hemenway charges with inefficiency and passive opposition, was advised by Dr. William R. Parkes, health commissioner of Evanston, that there were forty cases of scarlet fever in the city among the customers of the —— milk company. I immediately called Dr. Parkes on the phone and inquired as to the probable source of the infection, and was advised that it lay at "X" (Genoa Junction). I then wired Dr. Westerfelt of Shelbyville, chief medical inspector of the state board, to go to "X" and make an investigation.

"Jan. 19 Dr. Westerfelt made a statement that he found there had been no case of scarlet fever among the employés of the milk company since July, 1906, and that in his opinion there was no infection in "X" milk. He further stated he had heard no complaint against the milk except in Evanston."

To this statement Dr. Hemenway answers that it is "a direct contradiction of the report of Dr. Baker (also of the state board of health), who found forty cases at Genoa Junction."

Inspectors from the city health department will visit Boersma's farm again tomorrow.

CHOOSES FLOOR AND BLANKET RATHER THAN SUITE IN ANNEX.

Edwin A. Brown, Denver Philanthropist, Sleeps in Municipal Lodging House as Investigator.

A night's experience in the Chicago Municipal lodging house, with the floor and a blanket as a bed may not seem preferable to a comfortable suite in the Auditorium Annex, but that is the choice made by Edwin A. Brown of Denver, sociologist and philanthropist, and brother of W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central railroad, Wednesday night.

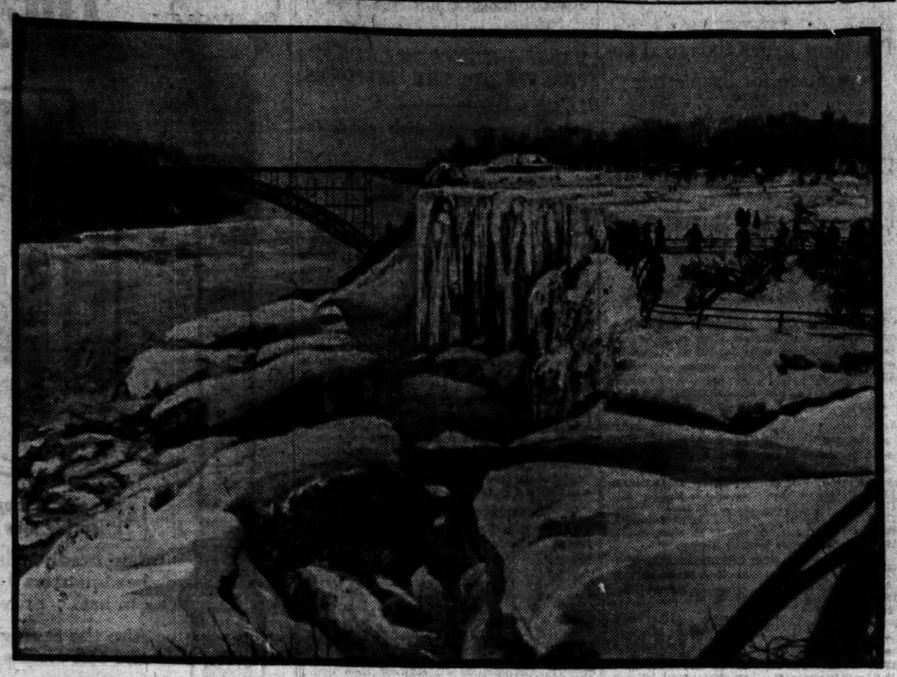
Mr. Brown is one of the leaders of a movement in his home city to establish modern municipal lodging houses. He spent the night in the municipal lodging house to gain inside knowledge of what Chicago does for her poor.

Last night he declared he would retire early to his suite in the Annex and make up for considerable lost sleep.

"My experience convinced me," he said, "that there is a more humanitarian sentiment in Chicago than we have been able to inspire in Denver. I shall do some more amateur investigating tomorrow."

Mr. Brown explained that he was on his way to Washington to urge before the new congress and senator from Colorado the framing of a bill to make a national playground of the 1,000,000 acre White River reservation. In the middle of the park it is proposed to have the government erect a sanitarium to care for its indigent and convalescent soldiers and sailors, especially those who incur illness in the Philippines.

Niagara Falls Torrent Held Back by Remarkable Ice Jam.



The falls as they looked day before yesterday.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—The falls of Niagara are rapidly assuming their normal condition. Since Wednesday there has been a constant increase in the flood that has been pouring over the brink, and throughout today the depth of water has grown materially. Large quantities of the ice lodged on the reef above the falls have been caught up by the rushing torrent and swept from the higher to the lower level by the swift currents.

Several persons tried to visit dangerous places today, but were prevented by reservation officers. The center of the American fall is still dry, as a jam of ice holds the water back and diverts it to either side.

A splendid ice bridge holds fast in the gorge below the falls, and hundreds have crossed on it today. Entrance to this icy structure can be had only on the Canadian side owing to the failure of the state reservation officials to erect a new elevator on this side to take the place of the closed incline, which is now being replaced.

FIRE A BARRIER TO L TRAINS

Burning Factory Falls, Starting Blaze on Road Structure.

WEST SIDE PEOPLE WALK.

Traffic Suspended for Over an Hour on Garfield Park Branch.

Panic flight of 325 employés, collapse of walls, and spreading of the flames to a neighboring "L" road structure were features of a fire that destroyed the plant of the Kinley Manufacturing company yesterday, with a loss of $270,000. The fire started at 10:30 o'clock as the result of the explosion of an enamel tank.

With a roar that could be heard for blocks the south half of the building collapsed a few minutes later, bricks and burning débris falling on the structure of the Garfield park branch of the Metropolitan elevated road.

Traffic was suspended and the power in the third rail shut off immediately. Despite the efforts of many companies of firemen, ties of the road became ignited and many were destroyed.

The wall had been tottering for some time before it fell and the firemen had feared to fight the flames from the elevated structure.

Following the collapse the firemen raised ladders against the elevated structure and from this point of vantage they were able to fight the flames more effectively.

Trains Meet Barriers of Fire.

After service on the Garfield park branch had been shut down traffic was at a standstill for over an hour. The flames which shot across the structure at intervals and the volumes of dense smoke made it next to impossible to run the trains past the burning building.

Officials of the road, however, made arrangements for the accommodation of its passengers and the service was restored in part within an hour and a half.

Westbound trains were stopped east of Hoyne avenue and passengers were obliged to walk to Western avenue to make connections. From Western avenue the trains were operated west.

Eastbound trains were stopped west of Western avenue and passengers bound for downtown were obliged to walk to Hoyne avenue, where the service east was renewed. Transfers were given to the passengers to enable them to make the connections.

At 4:15 o'clock the ties on the elevated railroad had been replaced, the débris cleared, and traffic resumed.

Kinley Has Narrow Escape.

C. B. Kinley, vice president of the manufacturing company, narrowly escaped death in the burning building. He directed many to safety, and then ran to the furnace room, where he was nearly suffocated before he and an employé were able to wrench the base from a window and escape.

In the upholstering room on the first floor a scene of the wildest excitement prevailed. Many girls and women are employed there, and when flames burst in upon them they, screaming, rushed to a stairway and leaped through windows. Fortunately they landed in snow drifts and none was injured.

SHOOTS GIRL AND HIMSELF AFTER LOVE IS SPURNED.

Casimir Fritzkowski Fires Four Bullets at Miss Mary Drzonek and Then Commits Suicide.

Casimir Fritzkowski made an unsuccessful evening and then ended his own life with a bullet.

For some time Fritzkowski has been paying attention to Miss Mary Drzonek, but because he recently was divorced and Miss Drzonek is a Roman Catholic, she repeatedly refused to marry him.

Early in the evening he called at her residence, 576 Dickson street, and asked her if she still persisted in her refusal, and upon receiving an answer in the affirmative, he drew a revolver and opened fire.

The first shot struck Miss Drzonek between the eye and ear, but did little damage. The next two shots struck her in the right arm, and as she turned to run he fired a fourth shot, which struck her in the back and may prove fatal.

Fritzkowski then shot himself in the temple. He lived at 589 Wood street. The woman was taken to St. Mary's hospital.

GIRLS' NAMES PUZZLE GUESTS.

Each of Four Visitors from Scotland Registered at Annex as Miss Hope Robertson.

It wasn't the fact that some guest at the Auditorium Annex had signed her name four times on the register nor yet the fact that the feminine visitor had signed her name for four apartments that caused other guests to ask what the seemingly quadruple signature portended. The names were Miss Hope Robertson, Miss G. Hope Robertson, Miss L. Hope Robertson, and Miss A. Hope Robertson, and after each name was written "Glasgow, Scotland."

"We are touring the United States on a trip around the world," the eldest of the Scotch lassies explained.

"Our similar names? O, that's because our mother's name is carried by each of us."

ACCUSED OF FRAUD BY CITY.

T. O. Jones Indicted for Alleged Perjury in $10,000 Suit.

ARREST SOUGHT IN VAIN.

Said to Have Asked Damages for Fall After Getting $137.

What is declared to have been an illegal attempt to get $10,000 from the city on a personal injury suit came to grief yesterday when the grand jury returned an indictment against Thaddeus O. Jones, charging him with perjury.

A capias was issued immediately for Jones and placed in the hands of Sheriff Strassheim for service. Jones formerly lived in the Manhattan hotel, 445 State street, but deputy sheriffs were unable to find him. When he is taken into custody he will have to give heavy bonds or go to jail.

The case of Jones is declared by Clyde A. Morrison, chief assistant city attorney, to be only one of hundreds of attempts to obtain money from the city by means of fraudulent personal injury claims. Thousands of dollars have been paid out where the city was unable to prove that a fraud was perpetrated.

Jones' suit was tried before Judge Marcus Kavanagh Dec. 18, 1908. The plaintiff alleged that he was suffering from umbilical hernia, resulting from a fall on a defective sidewalk April 20, 1904.

Paid for Street Car Injury.

It was developed that Jones had obtained $137 from the Chicago City railway company previous to his suit against the city for injuries received in falling from a car. A physician testified that the injury for which Jones was suing the city was a direct result of the stret car accident.

Attorney Morrison claims that Jones perjured himself in that he testified under direct examination as follows:

QUESTION—Did you suffer any other injuries?

ANSWER—Yes, I had a rupture coming, I guess, alongside my umbilical cord.

Q.—When did you first notice that rupture?

A.—About three or four months after I was injured.

Q.—Did you have that before you were injured?

A.—No, sir.

Verdict in City's Favor.

The city then placed physicians on the witness stand who testified that Jones did have the rupture before his alleged injury on the sidewalk, and that they had examined him and treated him for it. After this testimony the jury brought in a verdict for the city.

"There are many professional 'personal injury' frauds," said Mr. Morrison, "and the city attorney's office is doing its best to put some of these fellows out of business."

T. H. Clifford, who represented Jones in his claim against the street railway company, is said to have written a letter to the claim agent of the company stating that his client had "been laid up suffering from injuries to his arm, head, and umbilical hernia has developed." This letter was written before Jones' alleged accident on the sidewalk.

HOUSE AND BARN IN ONE ROOM.

Samuel I. Hecht of Gary, Ind., Told He Must Separate Live Stock from Children or Be Arrested.

The health authorities of Gary, Ind., believe the new steel city is entitled to the palm for the prize "happy family"—but it isn't the sort of happiness that is conducive to the good health or education of the members of the family who still are school children.

Health Inspector W. P. Rea visited the habitation of Samuel I. Hecht, a teamster, at Georgia and Eighteenth streets, yesterday on complaint of Miss Clara Anchors, a teacher in the public school which two of the Hecht children attended.

The inspector discovered that the family, consisting of the father, mother, and six children, lived in an old shack with no floor. The house also was occupied by two horses, a mule, a cow, and a calf.

Hecht was told he must move his family into other quarters and apart from his live stock within a reasonable time or he would be arrested.

SUED UNDER HEALTH RULES.

Five Persons Accused of Interfering with Quarantine Regulations Must Make Defense in Municipal Court.

Suits were begun by City Prosecutor George H. White yesterday against five persons alleged to have interfered with the health department quarantine regulations.

Dr. G. G. Praetorius is alleged to have failed to report a case of scarlet fever, P. Borland, an undertaker, is said to have permitted persons not previously exposed to attend a funeral of a victim of scarlet fever.

Alfred G. Crandall of 1537 Carroll avenue, James Triner of 844 Millard avenue, and Isaac Weleman of 689 North Artesian avenue are charged with permitting members of their families to break quarantine.

ROBBED TRUNKS FOR 4 YEARS

Baggagemaster Confesses to a Long Series of Thefts.

WOMAN ARRESTED WITH HIM

Loot Valued at $800 Is Found in His Room.

George Kauttenberger, baggagemaster for more than twenty-two years on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad, was arrested last night by Detective Sergeants Cudmore and O'Malley of the Central station on charges of stealing from suit cases and trunks.

Mrs. Mae Harris, with whom Kauttenberger was living in a rooming house at Park avenue and Paulina street, also was arrested. No charge has been made against her.

Kauttenberger confessed he had stolen from baggage intrusted to him for more than four years. A search warrant was issued by Municipal Judge Hume and jewelry and men's and women's wearing apparel valued at $800 was found in his room.

About four years ago thefts were reported by passengers, but Kauttenberger escaped suspicion until about ten days ago, when a decoy suit case filled with marked articles was placed in his charge. He fell into the trap.

Kauttenberger's run was between Chicago and Burlington, Ia.

SEES FOOT THROUGH BUSHES; FINDS BODY OF HER SISTER.

Miss Emily Loffgren, Who Disappeared Monday, Believed to Have Used Hatpin to End Life.

Miss Emily Loffgren, believed to have been insane when she disappeared from her apartment at 978 Seventy-fifth street on Monday, was found dead in a clump of bushes at Ridgeland avenue and Seventy-fifth street yesterday forenoon. She is believed to have committed suicide with a hatpin while demented. The arteries in both wrists had been opened.

The body was found by Mrs. L. Bergstrand, the dead woman's sister, at whose home she lived.

Mrs. Bergstrand was out walking when she passed the clump of bushes and saw a foot protruding. She almost fainted when she recognized the body as that of her missing sister.

While policemen were carrying away the body a broken hatpin covered with frozen blood was found and thus threw light on the method used by the young woman in ending her life.

The body of Frank Frease, 644 Blue Island avenue, was found 200 feet south of Eighteenth street on the banks of the Chicago river in the morning with a bullet wound in the right temple. It is thought that he shot himself and then threw his revolver into the river.

ACCIDENT IN AUTOMOBILE COSTS LITTLE GIRL A LEG.

Dorothy Oliver Badly Injured While Trying to Pass from One Seat to Another in Father's Machine.

Dorothy Oliver, the 8 year old daughter of Walter D. Oliver, suffered injuries while riding in her father's automobile yesterday which will necessitate the amputation of her right leg.

The little girl attempted to walk along the footboard from the front to the rear seat while the machine was turning into Drexel boulevard from Forty-seventh street. She either was jarred from the footboard or slipped, her foot catching in the machinery under the car. The foot was badly crushed and the leg torn from the hip socket before the automobile could be stopped.

The child was taken to the Chicago hospital, 452 Forty-ninth street, where it was said her condition is critical.

The Olivers live at 4547 Oakenwald avenue.

MYSTERIOUS BURGLAR A BOY.

Part of Booty Given to Friend Betrays Kenosha Youth, Who Boasts of Terrorizing Town.

The mystery of the "lone burglar" in Kenosha was solved yesterday by the arrest of Stanley Bloom, 17 years of age.

He admitted to the police that he had committed all of the seven burglaries reported in the last few weeks. Bloom had been shot at twice by policemen, but had always been able to escape. He was traced by a part of his booty, which he gave to a boy friend.

The boy terrified Kenosha, and people were afraid to leave their homes at night on account of his raids.

To prevent his family from knowing of his work he had retired nightly at 8 o'clock and then slipped out of the house to rob. He declared he would plead guilty, and boasted of the commotion he had caused.

TELL HOW 'SKINNY' ASSESSED "FINES"

Contractors Appear Before Wayman in Response to Subpœnas.

LABOR MEN ALSO CALLED.

One Witness Believed to Be Acting in Capacity of Spy for Madden.

"Skinny" Madden's highly developed system of extortion, known to the elusive labor czar and his gang of "business agents" under the more polite term of "fine," yesterday was explained to State's Attorney John E. W. Wayman. Several of those who did the explaining are officers of building trades unions affiliated with "Skinny" Madden's Associated Building Trades.

What Mr. Wayman wanted to know was whether the constitutions and rules of the various labor unions over which "Skinny" holds sway provide for the levying of "fines" in the case of strikes called by the gang for alleged violations of agreements. He also wanted to know what becomes of the money collected by the gang under the guise of fines and if the books of the unions showed such transactions.

The calling in of labor men to give evidence before the state's attorney gave an unexpected turn to the investigation. Some of them came in response to letters sent out by the prosecutor and others, including several contractors, responded to subpœnas issued for their immediate appearance in the Criminal court building. The peremptory orders for the appearance of the reluctant witnesses injected new life into the proceedings.

Fines Not Provided For.

Mr. Wayman, it is said, learned that practically none of the unions is governed by a constitution or rules providing for the system of fines which "Skinny" Madden and his gang have developed to a science through years of experience in the matter of successfully engineering "sympathetic strikes."

The labor men are declared to have told Mr. Wayman that fines are provided for in agreements between the unions and the contractors, such fines to be levied in the event the employers violate the terms of the agreement. In response to searching questions put to the business agents Mr. Wayman extracted the illuminating information, it is said, that no record of any sort is kept of money paid as "fines," the plain inference being that the cash is pocketed by "Skinny" and his gang.

As "Skinny" Madden's "system" gradually was explained to the prosecutor it became evident to him that it was a profitable source of income for the czar of the building trades unions and his lieutenants and that the finding of a pretext for calling "sympathetic strikes" was an easy matter.

Men Who Testified.

The labor men who appeared before Mr. Wayman were:

DEUTCH, M. J., secretary of the Woodworkers' district council.

LILIEN, HERMAN, president of the Hodcarriers' and Building Laborers' union.

POHLMAN, HENRY, secretary of the Carpenters' union, No. 1.

RAHN, FRANK, secretary of the German Hodcarriers' union.

Schreiber, A. C., business agent of the German Hodcarriers' union.

SMITH, JOHN, said to be bookkeeper in the office of the Associated Building Trades.

Among the contractors who gave evidence was Victor Falkenau, a member of the special committee appointed by the contractors and employing interests to urge Mr. Wayman to push the graft charges against Madden and his coterie.

Suspect Smith as Spy.

Witness Smith developed into a "mysterious stranger." It was intimated freely that Smith was acting in the capacity of spy for "Skinny." None of the other labor men who appeared before Mr. Wayman knew Smith, and it was news to them that the Associated Building Trades were employing a bookkeeper.

Smith at first said he was a business agent for one of the building trade unions. After being closely questioned by the other business agents concerning which union he represented, Smith retracted and said he didn't represent any individual union, but was a bookkeeper in "Skinny's" central organization.

Including the labor men, nearly a score of witnesses brought in by letters and subpœnas were examined by Mr. Wayman during the day. The witnesses were taken into Mr. Wayman's inner office one by one, and in many instances a stenographer was called into the conference room.

Additional letters and subpœnas for contractors, building owners, and union business agents were sent out in the afternoon.

Told Gang Demanded $2,000.

Mr. Wayman was told by one of the witnesses that on a certain building "Skinny" and his gang demanded $2,000 to settle the dispute. The demand was refused and a strike was called. Later the owner "settled" for $1,000, which was paid to the gang, and the strike was called off.

Several of the contractors have sent letters to Mr. Wayman giving names of building owners subjected to "Skinny's" extortion methods, and who, they say, if subpœnaed, could furnish evidence strong enough to warrant bringing the graft charges to the attention of the grand jury.

EDWARD MORRIS HAS ACCIDENT.

Packer Bruised in Collision of His Buggy with Heavy Team While Driving Home from Plant.

Edward Morris, president of Morris & Co., packers, narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday in a collision with a heavy teaming wagon while driving home in a lighter vehicle.

Mr. Morris had left the stockyards, and was crossing the tracks of the Chicago Junction railway, when a heavy wagon swerved into his buggy, overturning it and throwing the driver to the pavement. Mr. Morris was considerably bruised and shaken, but was able to right the vehicle and drive to his home.

It was said last night at his residence on Grand boulevard that his injuries consisted of minor cuts and bruises, and were not of a serious nature.

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PROVIDES FOR MRS. LEHMANN

Decree Grants Use of Home for Year, Auto, and Alimony.

BARS NAME FROM STAGE.

Sons Must Live Alternately with Parents on North Side.

Judge Chetlain yesterday signed the decree of divorce granted to Edward J. Lehmann, vice president of the Fair, against his wife, Eva Grace Lehmann.

The decree provides that Mrs. Lehmann is to have the residence at 917 Sheridan road until April 30, 1910, and an electric automobile. After April 30, 1910, she must find other apartments, but she will be allowed one-half of the furnishings with the exception of the following articles:

One silver punch bowl, gift of Otto Young.

One writing desk, presented by father of Mr. Lehmann.

One picture to be selected by Mr. Lehmann.

Will Get $6,000 a Year.

She is then to receive $1,500 a year for the support of the children, Ernest J., 6 years old, and Edward J., 5 years old. She will receive $4,500 a year alimony, payable monthly, until April 30, 1910, and then $4,000 a year.

Mr. Lehmann is to purchase clothing and pay all doctors' bills, and educate his sons. The parents will have the custody of the children in alternate months until they begin to go to school; then alternately every three months until they are 16 years old, when they may be sent away to be educated by their father.

They are not to be separated, placed in any boarding house or hotel, and shall live only on the north side in Chicago.

If Mrs. Lehmann goes on the stage she is not to use his name or any similar which sounds like it.

Mr. Lehmann is to turn over considerable personal property to his wife and relinquish all dower right in her property, which, the decree states, is considerable.

Writer Accused of Cruelty.

Mrs. Lena Margraff obtained a decree of divorce and $15 a week alimony from Anthony W. Margraff, department manager at 74 Monroe street, and also known as a writer, on grounds of cruelty before Judge Barnes.

Mrs. Margraff testified she was married Sept. 23, 1903, and lived with her husband until Jan. 8, 1907.

She stated that her husband struck her repeatedly in the face and pulled her hair Dec. 1, 1904, and that he struck her with a beer bottle and knocked out several teeth Jan. 8, 1907.

"Awfully Stingy," Says Wife.

George D. Uebele Jr., civil engineer and son of wealthy South Chicago parents, could afford to buy a silk corset, hose, and lingerie for himself to attend a 25 cent masquerade, but could not purchase clothes for his wife. So Florence Uebele charges in a suit for divorce before Judge Barnes. There will be a further hearing today.

"He was awfully stingy with me," said Mrs. Uebele. "I never had more than $1 a week from him as my 'salary.' When we went out and spent car fare he made me reimburse him. When I wanted clothes he would go to his mother and she would give me cast-off things. She also sent us all of our food."

The marriage was the result of an elopement. Uebele's parents are wealthy, while Mrs. Uebele's are not so well off.

DIVORCE DECREE DISPLEASES; MRS. LEMP WILL TRY AGAIN.

Brewer's Wife Given $6,000 a Year Alimony—Court Bases Verdict Solely on Ground of Desertion.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The decree of divorce granted by Judge Hitchcock today to Mrs. Lillian Handlan Lemp from William J. Lemp, the brewer, is not satisfactory to Mrs. Lemp and her attorneys, who announce they will file a motion for a new trial preliminary to appeal.

"The decree grants a divorce without giving separation," said one of Mrs. Lemp's attorneys. "Mrs. Lemp must look each quarter to her husband for her allowance under the court's decree. The child is awarded to neither party, but both are allowed a claim upon him, which cannot fail to work unhappiness for all concerned. It is not a decree of absolute divorce because no severance is possible under it."

Though neither Lemp nor his attorneys would discuss the case for publication, it is plain they consider the decree a victory.

The decree gives Mrs. Lemp alimony of $6,000 a year and the custody of her son, Lemp, however, is given the society of the boy, who is 7 years old, from Saturday morning to Sunday evening of each week.

Judge Hitchcock stated that the sole ground for divorce recognized by him was desertion. It had been established, he said, that Lemp had absented himself from Mrs. Lemp for a year.

The suit was filed by Mrs. Lemp last autumn. It was followed shortly by her husband's cross complaint and both bills were frequently amended before the case came to trial.

When the court proceedings began Mrs. Lemp made many sensational statements on the witness stand, asserting that Lemp had struck her, abused her, derided her church, and told their boy there was no God. Lemp denied these charges on the stand.

ARRESTED FOR NOT FLIRTING.

Julia Regan Suing Policeman McNally for Taking Her to Station.

Julia Regan, who lives at 1633 North Campbell avenue, told a jury in Judge McEwen's court yesterday that Police Sergeant John McNally dragged her from a street car on Feb. 20, 1907, and arrested her on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct because she would not flirt with him. She is suing him for $10,000 damages.

"I was taken to the Attrill street police station," she said. "There the desk sergeant said I did not look as if I was intoxicated. Ald. Dever gave bail for my release. I was ill, but when I told the sergeant he only laughed at me. My present terrible condition is the result."

The hearing will be resumed this morning.

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TAFT MADE MASON IN LESS THAN HOUR

Second Time in History of Masonry That "At Sight" Candidate Gets In.

IN FOOTSTEPS OF FATHER

Prominent Members of Order from Country Over See Cincinnati Ceremony.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—President Elect Taft is a mason, but he did not ride the goat (lucky goat).

They made Mr. Taft a master mason "at sight," which means that he got in thirty-five minutes what the ordinary candidate would not get in less than three months.

The ceremony took place at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the Scottish Rite cathedral. More than 500 prominent masons from twenty-seven states attended. Among others were grand masters from twenty states.

Put Him Through a Few "Stunts."

They put Mr. Taft through one or two "stunts," just as a matter of form, but as far as possible it was an "at sight" affair.

Grand Master Charles S. Hoskinson of Ohio and William B. Melish, acting as master of ceremonies, were the only ones who participated in making a mason of Mr. Taft. The invocation was delivered by the Rev. Paul R. Hickok, grand chaplain of Ohio, and the benediction by Bishop John Walden of this city.

Hiram lodge No. 21 of Winchester, Va., the lodge that initiated William McKinley, sent a representative to the Taft initiation. Henry W. Rugg of Providence, most eminent grand master of the grand encampment of Knights Templar of the United States, sent his regrets. Illness prevented him from attending.

Second "At Sight" Candidate.

The Taft initiation marks the second time in the history of masonry in the United States that any candidate has been made a mason "at sight." The three degrees of the blue lodge were conferred upon Asa S. Bushnell when he was governor of Ohio in this way.

Before the ceremony was over Mr. Taft was notified that an additional honor had been conferred upon him in masonic circles. He got word that the Masonic club of Yale university had taken him in as an honorary member. Kilwinning lodge 365 is the one that will have the honor of counting the next president of the United States among its members.

Father Was Master of Lodge.

Mr. Taft's father was master of this lodge and his half-brother, C. P. Taft, belongs to it. Following the ceremony C. P. Taft threw his home on Pike street open to the visiting masons, and there the president elect met all of them.

In the evening Mr. Taft attended a session of Kilwinning lodge and witnessed the exemplification of the master mason degree, incidentally, of course, seeing the candidates do a few things that he missed in the "at sight" ceremony.

HEPBURN URGES NEW RULES; IOWAN GIVES FAREWELL.

Congressman's Last Speech After 20 Years' Service in House Derides System of Conducting Business.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Near the close of a service of more than twenty years in congress, Representative William P. Hepburn of Iowa delivered his farewell address today, making a spirited and at times a bitter attack on the rules governing the conduct of business in the lower house.

In the last election the veteran Iowan was defeated for reëlection by a Democrat. For a time he entertained the hope that he would be able to retain his seat through a contest, but he advised against taking such a step.

Every seat on the floor was occupied and the galleries crowded.

Mr. Hepburn was in fine form. He drove home his points against the house rules with biting satire, keen wit, and scathing ridicule.

The Reed rules, so-called, Mr. Hepburn said, were devised for a mob. They were invoked to meet conditions that were intolerable. Under the rules of Reed the house had escaped the irresponsibility of mob rule, but it had not escaped from the speaker. He was the all controlling factor now.

"None of the animadversion upon the speaker can be imputed personally to the gentleman who now occupies the chair," said Mr. Hepburn. "If we are to be have a benevolent despot the present speaker would be my choice of a despot."

He urged that the power of appointing committees should be taken from the speaker, that in addition the committees should be free to name their own chairman, and, furthermore, that one day a week should be set aside for the consideration of bills on the house calendars.

HOUSE SETTLES KNOX PAY ROW.

Bill Involving Eligibility of Senator as Secretary of State Sent to Conference.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—The controversy over the legislative appropriation bill in connection with the much discussed salary of the secretary of state, involving the eligibility of Senator Knox for that office, was settled in the house of representatives today when the bill was sent to conference and the committee authorized to consider the salary provision as if in disagreement. This gives the committee power to reduce the pay from $12,000 to $8,000, its former figure. The Republicans were caught napping when a resolution by Mr. Fitzgerald was adopted disagreeing to the senate amendments creating the office of under secretary and fourth assistant secretary of state.

LINCOLN HEAD ON PENNY.

New One Cent Pieces Will Present Portrait Made on Recent Bronze Medal.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Abraham Lincoln's head is to appear on new 1 cent pieces which will appear in about a month.

President Roosevelt today approved the plan, which was presented to him by Director Leach of the mint.

The representation of Lincoln that will be used is that contained on a bronze medal recently executed by Victor B. Brenner of New York.

GOVERNOR DEFERS A HANGING.

Respite of Two Weeks Granted for Andrew Williams, Convicted of Murder of His Wife.

A third reprieve for Andrew Williams, colored, who was to have been hanged today for the murder of his wife, was granted yesterday by Gov. Deneen. Execution was stayed for two weeks in order to allow Williams' case to be presented to the Supreme court.

Attorney Seymour Stedman has taken up the negro's case since the prisoner has made charges against his former attorney, J. Gray Lucas, with whom he engaged in a fracas Wednesday evening in the visitors' cage.

Williams declares that Attorney Lucas diverted to his own use money given to him to take the case to the Supreme court. Attorney Lucas denied the accusations made by Williams.

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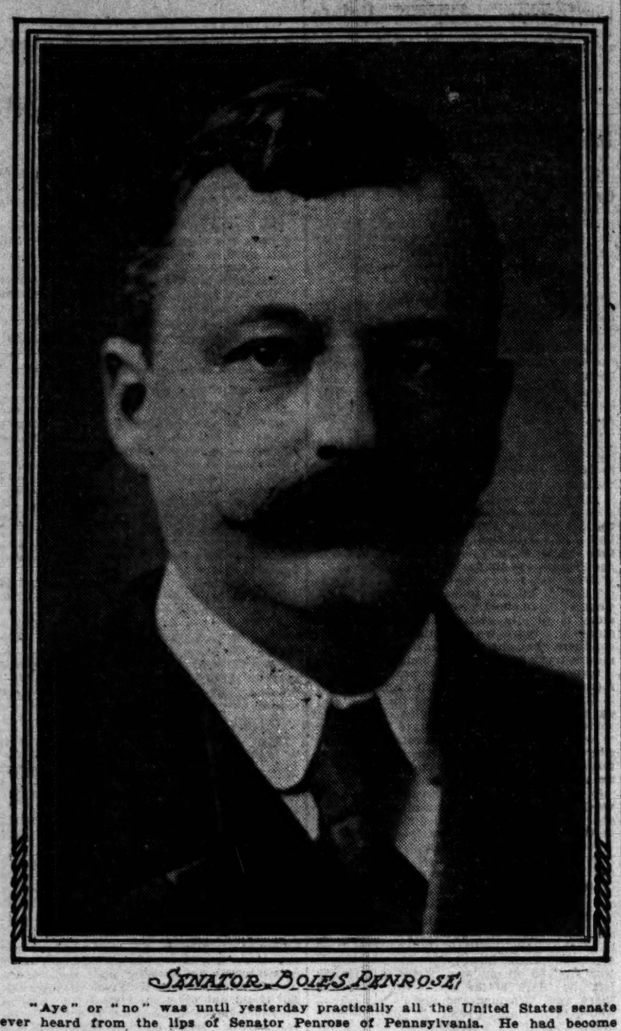
Penrose, "Man Who Never Talks," Is Roused to Speech by La Follette.



SENATOR BOIES PENROSE.

"Aye" or "no" was until yesterday practically all the United States senate ever heard from the lips of Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania. He had become noted as one who never made a speech, one who, when urged to reply to some attack would say, "O, what's the use?" He broke his silence yesterday when Senator La Follette attacked the methods of the senate in putting through appropriation bills, and among other things said Senator La Follette's language would be more fitting coming from a patent medicine vender than from a senator.

LA FOLLETTE TALK IGNITES PENROSE.

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in all his service, and that attendance was only to bring up some trivial claim.

"I make the statement without fear of contradiction that he is on the committee on pensions, which has one of the largest appropriation bills pending before congress every year, and he hardly ever has been present at its meeting, according to the unanimous testimony of nearly all of his colleagues on that committee.

"I make another statement without any fear of contradiction that he is on the important committee on Indian affairs, which every year considers a great appropriation bill, and he has seldom or never rendered useful service on it."

"And he has been in the senate during two years," interposed Senator Gallinger from his seat.

Really Impolite of Him.

"There is no senator," continued Mr. Penrose, glaring angrily toward Mr. La Follette, "who has a greater record for absenteeism than he. It ill becomes him to criticise these committees. When he is here it is only to delay the business of the senate, to hold up the transaction of public business and to embarrass those who, under their oats of office and in the conscientious discharge of their duties endeavor to enact legislation.

"I shall not sit here, and I desire to give such notice to the senator from Wisconsin, and listen to arguments that might better be made by a vender of a patent medicine from the tail door of a cart in a village of Wisconsin than from a senator of the United States."

Senator Gallinger said as Mr. Penrose took his seat that he did not wish at that time to have rule No. 19, which prohibits any senator from speaking twice on any question on the same day, enforced, but he appealed to senators who had spoken several times not to delay the senate business unduly.

Rules Enforced Against Him.

Mr. La Follette had remained standing while these remarks were directed toward him. He declared that he did not ask the indulgence of any senator in respect to the rules. He said he expected them to be enforced and believed they had been enforced with undue strictness in reference to himself. He added that if he was infringing a rule he might delay his brief reply until another amendment should be acted upon.

"It is of little value," he said, "to utter a contradiction here to much that has been said. It would merely put the word of one senator against that of another. I have not attended the meetings of some of the committees to which I was assigned.

"I attended the meeting of the committee on claims once or twice. Not feeling that I could render service of value on it, I asked to be relieved from membership on that committee. I have been reasonably diligent on the committee on Indian affairs—"

"It is the unanimous testimony of its members that you have failed to attend those meetings," interposed Mr. Penrose angrily.

Absent During His Illness.

"I would have more confidence in the statement," replied Mr. La Follette deliberately, "if senators on that committee made that declaration themselves. I was absent from the senate two months at the last session, being confined to my home in this city by illness. I was absent during the holidays—a week—during this session, while I was at my home superintending the publication of a magazine in which I am interested, and that seemed necessary to the success of the business at that time."

Then, standing in his place in silence for a few seconds, he continued:

"Against this coarse and vulgar assault I put my record since I have been a member of this body."

Mr. La Follette took his seat and Mr. Penrose referred to the next amendment in the postoffice bill, Mr. La Follette at almost the same time addressing Vice President Fairbanks to make an inquiry concerning the amendment.

Vice President Restores Order.

"Mr. President! Mr. President!" called the senator from Pennsylvania in a loud voice. For a moment the senators from Pennsylvania and from Wisconsin and the vice president were all talking at the same time. Finally Mr. Penrose's voice was heard declaring that he believed he had the floor.

"The chair," said the vice president calmly, "is undertaking to answer a proper inquiry by the senator from Wisconsin."

"I did not understand," said Mr. Penrose. "I thought I had the floor and no one had a right to interrupt me without my consent."

The senate then lapsed into the ordinary business of hearing additional amendments of the bill read.

CONFERENCE ON TARIFF ENDS.

Indianapolis Convention Concludes Sessions with Conferees Declaring Congress Will Be Spurred to Action.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 18.—The national tariff commission convention adjourned today after a session which officials and delegates assert has marked a new epoch in tariff making in this country.

That the action of the convention in its demand for the creation of a permanent tariff commission will bear fruit in congressional action towards the same measure is confidently asserted by its members.

The convention resolved by unanimous vote that the labors shall not end with merely the demand for a tariff commission. The permanent organization formed to continue its work will extend its influence to every state, and particularly to Washington.

The militant movement advised by Chairman Van Cleave took form in a personal pledge from each delegate to continue the work unceasingly.

EARTH TO COMBINE IN CONSERVATION.

President Urges Universal Cooperation for Protecting Resources.

EACH TO AID THE OTHER.

Progress of One Nation Means Uplift of Nations Generally.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—Conservation coöperation of worldwide scope was the keynote of an address of President Roosevelt made at the White house today before the delegates in attendance upon the North American conservation conference.

This sentiment, first voiced by the president, gathered considerable momentum during the day's proceedings and was reflected in addresses of those who participated.

It was the almost unanimous sentiment of the conference that the idea of international conservation would continue to grow and finally reach an ultimate conclusion in legislation.

May Have World Congress.

After the opening of the session the president expressed the hope to Secretary of State Bacon that a universal conservation congress, in which all nations shall be invited to participate, should become a reality soon. Secretary Bacon, Chief Forester Pinchot, and other government officials entertain a similar hope, and it is not unlikely the president may take steps to bring about such a meeting.

The east room of the White house was the scene of today's gathering. Members of the cabinet, justices of the Supreme court of the United States, diplomatic representatives of foreign governments, senators and representatives, members of the national conservation commission, and experts on the natural resources of the country listened to the president's address.

"In international relations," said the president in part, "I think the great feature of the growth of the last century has been the mutual recognition of the fact that instead of it being normally to the interest of one nation to see another depressed, it is normally to the interest of each nation to see the others uplifted.

"In commercial relations the trade of one nation is greatest, not with the poor and backward nation, but with the rich and progressive nation. The best customers, on the average, are the prosperous nations. When one nation strides forward along the path of civilization, as a rule that progress means the uplifting of nations generally.

Each to Profit by Others' Wisdom.

"The movement you are beginning, of national coöperation for the conservation of national and international resources, marks another stage in the advance along these lines. Each nation will be left absolutely free, of course, to exercise its own wisdom in doing with the things that concern itself, but it will be given the chance to profit by the wisdom of other nations.

"With nations whose boundaries march along a great extent of land frontier, as with Canada, the United States, and Mexico, there are necessarily large tracts of land in which the welfare of the people depends upon the action not only of that country, but of the neighboring country. This of course is especially true where our streams are concerned. You cannot cut down the forests on the head waters of an international stream without having it hurt both nations.

"I am anxious to do all that in me lies to help you in getting our several peoples to come together with the idea of working in harmony for the common good instead of working each to get something at the expense of the other. Ultimately each of us will profit immeasurably."

PLANS 'COUNTRY WHITE HOUSE.'

Congressman Landis Offers Bill for Executive Summer Home Near West Point.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—If congress passes a bill introduced by Representative Landis of Indiana. President Taft and his successors will be able to spend the hot summer months on the banks of the picturesque Hudson, near the military academy at West Point.

The bill authorizes the appropriation of $250,000 for the erection of an official summer residence and executive office at West Point, to be known as "The Country White House."

The passage of the Landis bill probably would upset the executive plans of Mr. Taft, whose purpose it had been to spend much of his summer among the Thousand Islands. It would be impossible, however, to have the country White house ready for occupancy during the coming summer.

TOBACCO TRUST SHOWN UP

Stock Juggling Methods Told in Report to the President.

PROFITS TO THE INSIDERS.

Corporation Commissioner Condemns Scooping of Millions.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Tobacco trust history, methods, and manipulations are to a great extent the burden of a report, to be followed by others, sent to President Roosevelt today by Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations. Incidentally the report condems the methods that enriched the men said to have acquired Tobacco stock control.

The report sets forth the rise of one of the great combinations of the country. Starting in 1890 as the American Tobacco company, a manufacturer of cigarets, with a capital of $25,000,000, the combination is now credited with a net capitalization, excluding inter-company holdings, of $316,-800,821.

The combine has, according to the report, absorbed some 250 separate concerns, and now controls about four-fifths of the output of each important kind of tobacco manufactured in the United States, with the exception of cigars.

Instance of Stock Juggling.

As an instance of stock manipulation the report cites that in 1901 a small body of directors and stockholders organized the Consolidated Tobacco company and offered its bonds in exchange for the common stock of the American and the Continental in order thus to secure for themselves most of the increased profits about to accrue.

The profits accruing to the common stock of the American and the Continental after its acquisition by the Consolidated increased greatly, and the small body of men controlling the last named company made millions of dollars.

Six men are said to have held a majority of the stock that thus profited to the exclusion of the original common stockholders.

Says Stockholders Were Wronged.

Commissioner Smith says that "in fairness it should be added that the offer to exchange bonds for stock was made with no concealment that that offer came from principal officers and directors, but," he adds, "the conduct of this group of men is a proper subject for criticism, because they could foresee much better than outside stockholders the large profits about to accrue.

"They occupied a fiduciary relation to the outside stockholders, and should have shared with them equally the special knowledge acquired by their position."

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If eating interferes with business, men give up eating. This is good logic for the dollar-getter, but poor wisdom for the man who really wants to live.

Abuse of anything God given results in punishment, and man is a pigmy when it comes to cheating his system.

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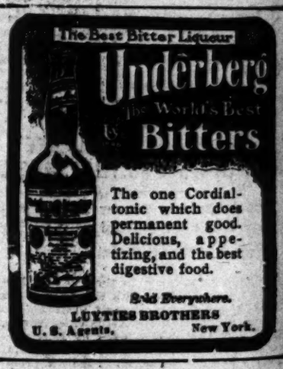

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SCHIFF DECLARES FOR INCOME TAX.

New York Financier Discusses Federal Government Deficit and Revenues.

NEW RECORD OF A LINER.

Mauretania Adds Another to Its Feats of Exceeding Atlantic Speed.

NEW YORK BUREAU CHICAGO TRIBUNE. New York, Feb. 18.

In Wall street banking circles the present condition of the government's finances, with a treasury deficit of more than $85,000,000, its probable increase to $125,000,000 by the close of the present fiscal year, and the various suggestions as to ways and means of providing new revenues, is a topic much agitated. Jacob H. Schiff, in discussing the question today, proposed including an income tax, which should meet the constitutional objections generally announced to levies against this form of taxation.

Income Tax Favored by Jacob H. Schiff.

"I think," Mr. Schiff said, "the most satisfactory solution can be found not in additional bond offerings or taxes on commodities now not taxed, or upon bank checks, but in an income tax so arranged that it will avoid the objections so successfully raised when this form of tax was last tried.

"What we need is a real revenue producing system which shall interfere in no way and affect as little as possible questions connected with the tariff or the country's bank or currency systems."

That a strict interpretation will be put upon the court order allowing Charles W. Morse to leave the Tombs prison for the transaction of urgent business was indicated today when he was refused permission to take an automobile ride with his wife and their two sons.

The Mauretania of the Cunard line came steam the Ambrose channel lightship tonight, completing a voyage in which several new ocean records were established. The steamer not only broke its own record over the long winter course of 2,890 miles, but, according to the Cunard officials, also lasted down the figures held by its sister ship, the Lusitania, and set the new record of four days, seventeen hours, and six minutes, which is two hours and thirty-six minutes better than the Lusitania's best time over the course. Another achievement of the voyage was a day's run of 671 knots, which breaks all records for a twenty-four hour run.

Mauretania Makes Another Ocean Record.

Young Jacques Mallet of Paris, who was sent to New York by his parents to learn the banking methods of the United States and also to get him away from certain amatory diversions, may not have a highly developed sense of the proprieties, but he is a thoroughbred. When the cruel and unfeeling United States government sent his sweetheart, fascinating Nellie Roselle, out of the country as an undesirable alien today Jacques Mallet went on the same ship—La Provence.

"We hope you will have a pleasant voyage," said the news reporters to young Jacques Mallet.

"Take it from me," he replied with more of a Broadway than a French accent, "I will."

Young Mallet Quickly Completes Banking Studies.

You did Jacques Mallet fool the government of the United States. Presumably he learned all he desires to know about American banking methods. He longs for the bright, feverish Paris, where a government may not interfere in a man's private affairs.

The newly established department for mechano-therapy was opened today at the Vanderbilt clinic of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. The equipment, which is the gift of Mrs. Ray Maishak, in memory of her husband, consists of thirty steel machines, through the use of which convalescence may be promoted after disease, injuries, or operations, and a joint or muscle that has become stiffened or atrophied may be exercised back to normal.

Mechano-Therapy Exemplified at Clinic.

Dr. Charles H. Jaeger, instructor in the orthopedic division of the German hospital, will have charge of the new department. He explained today that the machines have been so planned that there isn't a joint or muscle in the entire body that cannot be exercised. The idea is not to develop strength, but to obtain a general restoration of the normal condition.

"Mechano-therapy hastens recovery," Dr. Jaeger added, "and diminishes the period of convalescence 33 per cent. Strange to say, America is the only large nation that is not using these machines in its public hospitals."

Max F. Schmittberger, after years of hard fighting against enemies he made by his revelations of police corruption before the Lexow committee in 1894, today was made chief inspector of the department by Commissioner Bingham. This is the highest office in the gift of the commissioner, and Schmittberger becomes the uniformed commander of the force.

Lexow Informer Made Chief Police Inspector.

LAWYER'S BODY FOUND FROZEN IN QUARRY PIT 110 FEET DEEP.

Foul Play Is Feared, Although Diamonds and Watch Were in the Clothing of the Dead Man.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The body of George Elholm, attorney in charge of the legal and cost departments of the Mitchell & Lewis Wagon company, was found today in a pit 110 feet deep in the quarry of the O'Laughlin Stone company.

Foul play is feared. Elholm left Racine on Sunday and went to Ives, where he had clients. He left a hotel at 8 o'clock, and that was the last seen of him.

When he did not report at the office of the Mitchell & Lewis company on Monday, search was made in several cities.

His body was frozen in the quarry pit, only the shoulders being above the ice. Jewelry, consisting of diamonds and a watch, and a few pennies were found in his clothes.

FLEET NEARER; CROWD GROWS.

Old Point and Environs Show Greater Expectancy as Battleships Approach.

Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb. 18.—The near approach of the battleship fleet and its escort, signaled tonight by wireless as less than 700 miles off the Virginia capes, is reflected in the great crowds of visitors pouring into the hotels here. Many private houses in Phoebus and Hampton are to be thrown open to accommodate the overflow.

The combined forces are expected to arrive at the southern drill grounds fifty miles off the Virginia capes some time on Saturday. Minor evolutions and maneuvers will be gone through in order to fill the time intervening before the scheduled arrival Monday morning next. The fleet will pass in the capes about 10 a. m.

The dinner to be given by the Navy league at the Chamberlin Monday evening will be the first of the social functions in connection with the fleet's arrival.

Two Brides of the Waning Season.

Miss Julia Pearl Hibbard. Miss Lavinia McConnell

Tomorrow will bring the final weddings of the winter season—and then Lent and the preparation for the Easter brides. The south side will give three services of interest, that of Miss Lavinia McConnell and Percy Donaldson, to take place in the evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith McConnell, 4539 Lake avenue, is to be one of the largest wedding celebrations of the winter.

The wedding of Miss Bernice Jones, daughter of Mrs. Fannie M. Jones of 170 Oakwood boulevard, and Charles P. Montgomery Jr., is to be a Memorial church service of this evening, and Miss Edith Higenbotham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Higenbotham of 906 Sixtieth street, will wed Robert Garnett at Crerar chapel at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Oak Park will contribute the wedding of Miss Julia Pearl Hibbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Hibbard, who will become the bride of Herbert Green, the service to take place at the family residence, 216 Maple avenue, in the evening.

STEEL STATUS LEADING TOPIC

Gary, Corey, and Others Confer on the Situation.

AWAIT STATEMENT TODAY.

Head of Corporation Expected to Clear Up Matters.

New York, Feb. 18.—The steel situation was the absorbing topic in financial and other business circles today. This interest had been aroused by reports that the trade in steel had been disappointing, that independent manufacturers were cutting prices and getting what business there was, and by the fact that the chief officers of the Steel corporation and the heads of its subsidiary companies held another conference today at which conditions were discussed.

The meeting, at which E. H. Gary, chairman, and W. E. Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation were in attendance, was held at the Railroad club, and it was confidently believed that a statement would be forthcoming when the meeting was concluded.

Gary Statement Due Today.

This expectation, however, was doomed to disappointment, for at the adjournment Judge Gary announced that he would not have anything to say today, but that tomorrow he would "make a general statement that will fully and frankly set forth the general conditions of the trade."

Whether the steel corporation will recede from its determination to maintain prices, made early last summer, when a similar condition of affairs existed in the trade, could not be definitely learned, but it is expected that the announcement tomorrow will deal particularly with the question of prices.

Cut in Prices Expected.

The Iron Age says:

"The question of making radical reductions all along the line in finished products with the exception of steel rails is being given serious consideration, and it may be that a decision may be announced at any moment. The impression had been widespread that it would not be until the proposals of the ways and means committee were known, toward the middle of next month, that an adjustment of prices would be undertaken. There seems to be a disposition in some quarters to put aside any consideration of the tariff and deal with the situation on the basis of trade conditions.

"The New York Central system has virtually placed orders for steel rails which are estimated to aggregate from 85,000 to 90,000 tons. Of this the Illinois Steel company has booked 23,100 tons, the Carnegie Steel company about 19,500 tons, the balance going probably to the Lackawanna Steel company.

"The pig iron markets are dull in all the leading distributing markets, and there are some signs of weakness. The market has not been seriously tested for some time, although there are a few inquiries of magnitude which may define the situation. Some of the independent coke makers in the Connellsville district are closing down rather than continue to meet the present low prices, which are $1.60 for prompt shipment on furnace coke and $1.90 to $2 for standard seventy-two hour foundry coke."

MANY VIEW CEMENT WONDERS

Show Opens at Coliseum with Big Crowd in Attendance.

MOLD HOME WHILE YOU WAIT

Demonstrators Start Work on Model Two Story Dwelling.

Despite inclement weather conditions, the second annual cement show opening in the Coliseum last night established a record for attendance. Every foot of aisle space in the big building was occupied. President Edward M. Hagar of the exposition said it was the greatest tribute Chicago ever paid to the "stone age," and the largest throng that ever attended a trade fair in this city.

"Concrete is king" was the slogan of the show done in electric lights on the center illumination set piece immediately in front of the main entrance.

Many Watch House Building.

Thousands of interested "home builders" viewed the novelty of the show, the booth of the cement house company in which Inventor Aiken is giving a demonstration in practical house building with reinforced concrete. By an ingenious arrangement of molds and cores, the builder is pouring the sides of a two story dwelling, which construction will differ materially from the ordinary poured reinforced concrete work.

It will require thirty-six hours for the first side made during the evening to set sufficiently to permit the workmen to raise it to a perpendicular position as a part of the house. All sides will have been put in place and the work of finishing the interior will have been finished before the show comes to an end next week.

Another feature that attracted attention was the exhibit of an artistic cathedral window.

Exhibitors Are on Time.

Two hundred exhibitors had their booths ready for the official opening. Among the latest of the exhibits to be installed was that of the company showing miniatures of the concrete barge, which were floated in pools of water, and the skeptical were invited to lift them out of the water to verify the statements as to their weight.

Although there were no formal ceremonies to mark the opening of the "concrete fair," Thomas A. Edison sent the following telegram to President Hagar: "Greetings. With the Chicago cement show a complete success."

FINLEY MAY SUCCEED ANGELL.

President of the College of the City of New York Added to List of Possibilities.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 18.—The name of President John H. Finley of the College of the City of New York, was added today to the list of possible successors of Dr. James B. Angell, who yesterday submitted his resignation as president of the University of Michigan. Prof. Jenks of Cornell is also mentioned. Dr. Angell has not yet announced his decision as to whether he will accept the position of chancellor.

Cement Show—Coliseum—Now Open

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CAST MORE DOUBT ON GINGLES TALE.

Hotel Employes Say Young Woman Probably Tied Herself.

POLICE GROW SKEPTICAL.

Capt. O'Brien Thinks Letter Written by the Girl Proves Her Story Untrue.

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face of inner thigh; right thigh presents incision on external surface near knee.

"Several incisions on outer surface of right thigh and right leg. The incisions vary in length from one to three inches, and evidently were inflicted by means of a sharp instrument.

"DR. J. E. REYNOLDS,
"DR. B. H. ORNDOFF."

Story of Attack Varied.

At different times during the day Miss Gingles related parts of her story—the majority of her statements conflicting with the story she first told. She said she tucked her warning letter to Miss Joyce under the door of the hotel bathroom. In reply to questions she explained that she was weak from drugs and rough treatment, but had wit and strength sufficient to find writing materials and stamps and properly address the missive. She lacked sufficient strength, however, to ring the telephone or scream for help.

She also varied her story to the extent of asserting that she was attacked by a woman and two men, one of whom was called "doctor." At other times she mumbled incoherent utterances concerning French Lick Springs and a prominent politician. This is in connection with the story told by her friends that efforts were made by enemies of the girl to induce her to go to the Indiana resort and meet the politician.

Girl Arrested in Fair Store.

Capt. O'Brien verified the report that a girl named Gingles had been arrested for shoplifting in the Fair store subsequent to the arrest and indictment of the lacemaker for stealing lace from the Barrett establishment in the Wellington, where she had been employed. The girl was arrested by a Miss Williams, a detective employed by the store, but was not prosecuted because of the fact that she returned the stolen articles and pleaded for clemency. She signed a confession of the thefts, which Capt. O'Brien found was locked up in the desk of Supt. Jones of the store. Mr. Jones was absent from his office on account of illness. Miss Williams went to the hospital to identify the girl, but was unable to form an opinion on account of the bandages in which the girl's face was swathed.

Capt. O'Brien Still Incredulous.

"That this girl was attacked in the manner she alleges grows more improbable with every development of the investigation," said Capt. O'Brien. "I am running down all the clews, but have failed to substantiate a single one of her statements. That she was carried from a cab by three persons into the Wellington hotel in a drugged condition without being seen by numerous persons at that early hour in the evening is preposterous. I have yet to find a single person who saw her enter the hotel, and I have combed the establishment for clews.

"If what the hotel employes have told my men is correct we have the right opinion, except that there may not have been an accomplice. It added our theory to learn that she formerly was employed there as a chambermaid. I have been told that among her possessions was found a key that would unlock many of the doors in the hotel.

"I cannot find a single indication that she ever was in Miss Barrett's room or that the letter ever was thrown into the hallway. I have questioned every employé in the place and can find none who mailed that letter. That letter business is extraordinarily suspicious. Why she should go to the trouble to write a letter when she might have telephoned the alarm or summoned a bell boy in the usual manner in a hotel is extremely suspicious.

Might Got Help Sooner.

"That she trusted to the slow process of the mails to send out the alarm of her danger of murder at the hands of her enemies is even more suspicious. If she had to write, why didn't she make it a note addressed to the first person who happened along or to the hotel management. That might have brought help several hours in advance of her method.

"I find she was not tied tightly or in any way that she could not have done herself without assistance. The port wine bottle from which wine was poured to discolor her night gown was in the bathroom. The laudanum bottle was found there, but I am satisfied there had been none of the drug in it. The name of Miss Barrett written on the night gown is the same character of chirography as the superscription on the letter sent to Miss Joyce. The night gown was a new one and never had been washed.

"Her whole story is impossible, and I believe the girl will tell the truth when she is able to talk at length. When we do get the truth about this affair there is likely to be a sensation. It looks more than ever like a frameup to arouse sympathy for this girl soon to undergo a trial for theft."

O'Donnell Suspends Judgment.

Attorney O'Donnell was not disposed to get excited over what had happened to his client. He thought the police were getting along satisfactorily with the investigation.

"I have formed no opinion about the matter," he said. "I am waiting till the girl is able to tell a lucid story. Then I shall investigate it and if it is wrong it will be shattered in an hour. If it is right the guilty parties must be brought to justice. I believe the girl is honest and I have been told that her enemies had planned to make her the victim of a plot to carry her to French Lick springs for an evil purpose. I had intended to tell the story to State's Attorney Wayman and let him investigate it. I thought he might find evidence that would show that the girl was being persecuted all along the line."

Capt. O'Brien in the evening investigated the story that Miss Gingles was thrown into a cab at Clark and Goethe streets Tuesday night about 7 o'clock. The only cabman standing there at that time, the detective learned, was Olaf Jensen, who was waiting to take a party to the theater.

Visited by Brother and Sister.

Late in the evening the captain heard from the brother and sister of Miss Gingles who had seen her at the hospital. They said she told the same story as at first and that she sent a message that she would talk to Capt. O'Brien today.

"I shall go out to see her today," said Capt. O'Brien shortly after midnight. "Her story is rapidly getting into the ludicrous stage the more we investigate and I am confident that she will break down and tell me the truth before we are done with her."

Inspector Stuart of the postal department had a conference with Capt. O'Brien in the evening and examined the letter and envelope. That Miss Gingles could have revived from a drugged state sufficiently to write the letter and then relapse into the same state the inspector declared preposterous. The letter incident, he said, stamped the story as false.

Miss Gingles held a series of intermittent receptions at the Willard hospital. At times she was perfectly rational and was glad to receive callers. While having her photograph taken she was seen by a TRIBUNE reporter for a few minutes. At that time she was laughing and seemed in the best of spirits.

Repeats Story of Attack.

"I do not remember telling my story to any one," she said; "but every one seems to have the story pretty straight. There are some mistakes, however. At the time I was stopped on my way home, just after I left the Clark street car at Goethe street, there were two men and one or two women who attacked me. I really do not remember much about it. I was paralyzed by the suddenness of the attack, and something was pressed to my face.

"I do not recall how I was taken into the hotel. It seems to me as if I was carried, but I must have been practically unconscious at the time. I remember writing the note, however. My strength was all gone. I could scarcely crawl.

"I could not have stood on my feet and made any outcry. It was all like a dream. I just remember writing the call for help and tucking it under a door. It seems to me that everything became black just then. I surely recognized two of the women. One of them was in the street, and the two came into the room after I was there.

"There was a man they called doctor, and one woman kept reminding him that he must get his train. I was—"

At this moment a nurse came to the room and insisted that no further effort be made to interview Miss Gingles.

Bruises Indicate an Attack.

The medical examination was conducted late in the afternoon by Dr. James Reynolds and Dr. B. H. Orndoff. After the examination the girl became ill again. Her temperature is described as subnormal. Dr. Reynolds after the examination said he did not believe the injuries had been self-inflicted and that it would be practically impossible for some of them to have been so inflicted. The examination dealt solely with the matter of external injuries. Tests for drugs were not made.

Mrs. Mary Karston, who lives in the same house as Miss Gingles, visited the hospital. She said she believed the girl's story. She said she had often cared for the girl when she was too poor to buy food, and had admired her skill as a lace maker. She said she knew the girl was for some reason in fear of her life.

Robert Lawrence, a student at the college adjoining the hospital, called to see Miss Gingles. He stated that he knew her when both lived just outside of Dublin. He said the girl's family is a good one and he could not believe she is telling an untruth about the attack.

Elizabeth Gingles told the police that she is employed in a dressmaking establishment at Chestnut and State streets. She said she had only been in this city a few weeks and knew nothing of her sister's troubles.

BEEF TRUST PLAN IS TOLD IN COURT

Seeking Recovery of Stock, Frederick Joseph Reveals Defeated Merger Scheme.

FOUR PACKERS INCLUDED

Suit Alleges Ferdinand Sulzberger Converted Deposited Paper to His Own Uses.

New York, Feb. 18.—The agreement under which the four largest packing houses of the country were to have been consolidated was made public today in the course of the trial of the suit of Frederick Joseph against Ferdinand Sulzberger of the drm of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, for recovery of $200,000 of stock which the plaintiff charges Mr. Sulzberger with having converted to his own use.

Mr. Joseph testified that the agreement provided for merging into one corporation of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company, the Armour Packing company, the Swift company, and the Nelson Morris Packing company. Provision was also made for the absorption of the Cudahy Packing company.

Under the terms of the agreement the stock of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company was to be exchanged for $190 in cash or preferred stock and $200 in common stock of the new corporation.

Joseph's Stock in Pool.

In the course of the acquisition of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger stock preparatory to its being turned into the pool, 7334 shares are alleged to have been purchased for the account of Mr. Joseph at an average price of $72.61 a share.

These shares, Mr. Joseph declared, were turned over to Mr. Sulzberger, who represented the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company in the merger negotiations.

Owing to the action of the government and the panic of 1907, the proposed consolidation fell through, however, and Mr. Joseph requested that the stock contributed by him to the pool he returned to him. This Mr. Sulzberger has refused to do, the plaintiff alleges, and it is in order to compel him to do so that the present action is brought.

Since its purchase the stock has gained in value and is now worth, it is alleged, the amount sued for by Mr. Joseph.

Eight Millions in New Firm.

Under the agreement Mr. Joseph would have been given an interest of over $5,000,000 in the new company. The amounts at which the Armour, Swift, and Morris plants were to go in were not mentioned.

Another agreement showed that Sulzberger, after making a deal with the western packers, insisted that Mr. Joseph should put in his 7,600 shares of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger stock, and a similar demand was made on Mr. Weil, who held 3,600 shares.

Mr. Joseph testified that Mr. Hapgood purchased about 3,800 shares of stock held in New England at an average of about $70 a share, which was less than one-quarter of the amount to be paid for it under the arrangement for the formation of the beef trust.

Refused to Recognize Agreement.

Mr. Joseph asserted that Mr. Sulzberger frequently admitted his interest in this stock in written agreements for the organization of the beef trust, but when that fell through Mr. Sulzberger refused to recognize the agreement or to give him any part of the stock.

Besides asserting that the stock is now worth $350 a share, Mr. Joseph says the books of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger company show a surplus of over $7,000,000, and that the stock is of book value of $270 a share, without allowing for the good will.

Sigmund Grabenheimer, treasurer of the firm of Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, and well known in the beef trade, fell dead in the arms of his brother, Nathan, tonight while walking near the Grand Central station. Heart disease was the cause.

CANVAS CANOE AS A SAIL; SIX SAVED FROM THE LAKE.

Rescuer Who Goes to Aid of Five Fishermen on Ice Meets Mishap, Then Turns Floe Into Craft.

Harbor Springs, Mich., Feb. 18.—Edward Juiller, Charles Wright, Byron Wright, William Rosemyer, and Morris Powers, fishermen, were rescued in Lake Michigan today after they had been carried seven miles from shore on an ice floe. Albert Zuber went to their rescue in a canvas canoe. The canoe sprung a leak just as he reached the floe and he was hauled upon the ice. The fishermen used the canoe for a sail and reached the beach in safety.

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PULLIAM TO TAKE INDEFINITE REST.

National League Magnates Give Their President Leave of Absence.

ALL HATCHETS BURIED.

Wrangles of Murphy-Johnson-Herrmann End in Apologies and Peace.

The National league's tumultuous meeting came to a happy ending at the Annex last night, the club owners accomplishing in their final session more peace pacts than were thought possible after the evidence of internal strife and dissension which came out earlier in the week.

Three distinct moves in the right direction were made. President Harry C. Pulliam, whose health has been affected by recent squabbles with his league's magnates, was granted an indefinite leave of absence, with all responsibilities of his office taken off his shoulders. The resolution in which this leave was granted expressed the hope of all the club owners that he would return, fully restored to health, to act as their executive.

C. Webb and Ban Make Up.

Good move No. 2 was effected by President Murphy of the Cubs in his apology to Ban Johnson for the unpleasant things he has said about the American league chief. A declaration of peace followed President Johnson's acceptance of this apology. Charles Webb received unstinted praise from his associates for taking the first step, as a truce never would have been possible without an apology on one side or the other.

While in the peace making mood President Murphy went farther and declared off hostilities with Garry Herrmann, shaking hands with the chairman of the national commission. The pair decided to be friends and Garry formally announced the ticket scalping scandal and the $10,000 bonus were dead and buried as far as he was concerned.

The Cubs will get their $10,000, as the commission decided to make no objection to President Murphy's formal request to donate that sum as a reward for winning the third straight National league pennant.

President Pulliam refused to come near the council chamber yesterday. Instead he gave out a statement decrying the magnates' recent quarrels with him and their alleged efforts to oust him from office, and branding them as "money mad." He said he would not resign, but that they could "fire" him if they liked; that he would be glad to be "fired," inasmuch as he was sick of the worries of his office.

Pulliam in Charge of Brother.

Fearing a complete breakdown in his health, the executive's friends, of whom he has more in the National league than he apparently believes, had sent for his brother, Frank Pulliam of Wisconsin, and one of his Louisville intimates, in the hope they could persuade him to accept a leave of absence and take a complete rest.

President Pulliam's brother arrived in the morning. He said he would undertake to influence the National league head to shake off the cares of baseball business. Pulliam still intends to go to California on a vacation, but his friends do not believe he would profit by a visit to the coast and will try to persuade him to do as his brother thinks best.

Makes Escape to St. Louis.

In the afternoon the National league head announced his intention of starting for St. Louis on an evening train. He said he had business there and would go from St. Louis to Cincinnati. His brother's plans for him did not include a trip to either city, and an attempt was made to dissuade him from making the journey.

Failing to shake his determination, his friends plotted to keep him here by strategy. Pulliam had ordered a cab to take him to the Dearborn street station and the plotters knew this. President Dovey of the Boston team disguised himself as a cabby, and when the league president got into the vehicle the man on the box was a real magnate.

Dovey's plan was to drive in the wrong direction and drive so far that Pulliam would be sure to miss the train. However, Harry Clay knew Chicago well enough to guess what was "coming off" and he made a flying leap from the cab before it had gone far out of the way. With little time left to catch his train, he dashed across the city afoot, reached the station and sprinted through the gates just in time to board the rear platform of the rear car.

Secretary John A. Heydler of the league was appointed acting president at yesterday's session. He was authorized to take Pulliam's place on the national commission temporarily.

The senior league's magnates, some of whom left for their homes last night, think the president will be benefited greatly by the prescribed rest and all of them denied they were "after him" in any way. Secretary Locke of the Pittsburg club said he knew Barney Dreyfuss still was one of Pulliam's best friends. President Murphy stated he wanted Pulliam to continue as president of the league as long as the league existed. This sentiment was echoed by the other owners present.

"Too Good a Man to Lose."

"President Pulliam is so conscientious that the responsibilities of his position wear on his health," said Secretary Heydler last night. "Last winter it was the same way. He needed a rest before the season's start and was prevailed on to take it. He spent a few weeks at Muldoon's in New York and returned to his office in perfect health. He will do the same thing again this time in the proper surroundings. No one in attendance at the meeting wanted him to quit. He is too good a man to lose. On account of the recent 'mud slinging' he has come to regard his associates as his enemies. In reality I don't believe there is a man in baseball who has more friends than Harry Pulliam."

Peace between Johnson and Murphy was declared during the former's visit to the National league meeting room, whither he was invited to state whether or not he would be willing, as a member of the national commission, to take up the attempted umpire bribery scandal. Before President Johnson left the room President Murphy arose and offered his apologies for his part in the recent war of words. Johnson accepted them "in the spirit in which they were offered."

Bribery Scandal to Commission.

Then followed the peace compact between the Cub leader and Garry Herrmann, and every one in the room was on speaking terms once more. The committee appointed to investigate the attempted bribery offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

"Resolved, That the statement of the umpires and all the papers in the hands of the special committee, including the report that had been formulated, be referred to the national commission for such action as they desire to take."

The name of the man charged with offering the bribe was not made public, members of the committee stating they had found it would be impossible to punish him by law. The commission will give him a chance to clear himself, and if he fails probably will bar him from the grounds of all the clubs in organized baseball, since this appears to be the only punishment practicable. President Johnson was voted thanks for his willingness to assist in clearing up this matter.

In the absence of President Pulliam, Secretary Heydler and President Dovey of the Boston club alternated as presiding officers. The first matter to be taken up was the request of President Pulliam for a holiday. Permission was given in the following words:

"The National league grants the request of President Harry C. Pulliam for an indefinite leave of absence owing to illness, and hopes he will return fully restored to health. During his absence he will be relieved of all responsibilities and John A. Heydler, now secretary and treasurer, is hereby appointed acting president, with full authority of the office of president, which carries with it representation on the national commission."

The national agreement recommendation formulated by the commission was adopted, limiting the number of players to be carried by a major league club between May 15 and Aug. 20 to twenty-five, and to thirty-five between Aug. 20 and May 15, and the number on class A A teams to sixteen for the summer period and twenty-five after Aug. 20.

The territorial draft question was referred to the national commission, the league agreeing to stand by whatever action the ruling body will take. It was decided to cut out all daily passes for ball players at home and abroad. Each player will be provided with his own pass, which will admit only himself and his wife.

A rule was passed making it compulsory for a home club to notify the visiting club before 8 o'clock p. m. on the day of a postponement when the game will be played off. In the event the game is to be played the following day the umpires then present in the city also must be notified.

"Ladies' days," when fanettes are admitted free of charge, were abolished. Boston and Brooklyn have been the only National league cities where these days were set aside of late.

Rule Aimed at Cubs.

A law prohibiting ball players from riding to the grounds in uniform was passed. A fine of $50 for each offense was provided for infractions of this rule. President Murphy is said to have been the only owner opposing the passage of this measure.

After the final adjournment Secretary Heydler said he would not be able to get away before today, as he had a lot of work to do. He classed this meeting as the most strenuous he ever had attended, probably because he acted both as secretary and chairman most of the time.

Bill Armour of the Toledo American association club, secured the release of Pitcher-Outfielder Liese, the youngster drafted by the Cubs from Madison of the Wisconsin-Illinois league. Another Cub recruit was disposed of in Outfielder Hayden, who goes back to Indianapolis. John McCloskey, new manager of the Milwaukee club, landed Stoney McGlynn, the former St. Louis Cardinal.

President Comiskey did not appear at the Annex, nor was he at his office. During his absence the signed contract of Freddie Parent of Sanford, Me., appeared. Over the phone "Commy" rejoiced that peace was made between Herrmann and Murphy and Murphy and Johnson, saying it was the best thing that had happened during the week.

PULLIAM OFFICIALLY STATES HIS POSITION.

"I did not attend the last meeting of the National league. The reason for this is that I am not well and desire to conserve my strength. There are a lot of cheap individuals who are built like Durham bulls who delight in nagging me to a point of desperation and then bawling me out at the top of their voices, like they would some poor devil at a clam chowder given by Big Tim Sullivan's association at College Point. They have something on me, because I have neither voice nor inclination to reply to them.

"The trouble with the so-called magnates is that, with the recent growth and popularity of the national game, they have grown money mad and want to throw sentiment henceforth to the winds. Their actions are just like those of the grasping millionaire racetrack owners in this country which resulted in killing American racing, the sport of kings.

"Racing flourishes in England, France, Germany, Austria, and Russia simply because it is properly conducted from the standpoint of sportsmanship. The baseball magnates will kill the goose that lays the golden eggs. I, for one, am willing to let them alone.

"I will not resign. That would be to quit while under fire. They may discharge me if they like, but I'll not resign.

"My motto is the motto of the Kentuckian, Abraham Lincoln: 'We can't all win, but we can all be true. We can all live in the light and pray and trust that right makes might.'

"HARRY C. PULLIAM."

DREYFUSS REFUSES TO TALK.

Pittsburg Magnate Shows Wisdom by Refraining from Discussion of President Pulliam's "Attack."

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburg club, who was prevented from attending the league meeting in Chicago on account of an attack of grip, was at his office for a few minutes today. The local magnate absolutely refused to discuss the attack made on him and other National leaguers last night by President Pulliam.

"Let Mr. Pulliam do the talking," said Col. Barney. "I think he will discover he is making a mistake."

Regarding the report that the Pittsburg club had refused to waive claim to Pitcher Pat Flaherty, of whom the Boston Doves wish to dispose, President Dreyfuss entered a denial, saying that he had not claimed the Carnegie southpaw.

COUNTY MAT TOURNEY OPENS.

Smith of Cornell Square A. C. Springs Surprise by Throwing 125 Pound Champion, Lusk.

The Cook county wrestling tournament began last night at the Central Y. M. C. A. with numerous entries in all but the 115 pound and heavyweight classes.

Smith of the Cornell Square A. C. was the surprise of the night, as he eliminated from the competition Champion Lusk of the 125 pound class in forty-two seconds of wrestling. Another surprise was the defeat of Hills of the Central Y. M. C. A. by Tortenson of Hyde Park in the middleweight semi-finals. Tortenson got his man with a half nelson and body hold in three minutes of work.

Wirth of the North Side A. C., Best of the Aurora Turners, and S. Kennedy of Central Y. M. C. A. were barred from the tournament on account of charges of professionalism preferred against them, which will be investigated by the A. A. U. Summaries:

115 pound class—Smith, Cornell Square A. C., defeated Woods, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., with a half nelson in 1:40; Sandig, North Side A. C., defeated Ritter, Gideon A. C., of Austin, with an arm hold in 8:45; Drossman, Central Y. M. C. A., drew bye.

125 pound class preliminaries—Lusk, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Pietka, Cornell Square A. C., with head and arm hold in 1:35; Smith, Cornell Square A. C., defeated Rudham, Central Y. M. C. A., with a headlock in 3:12; Rosenbaum, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., defeated Memmel, Avondale, A. C., with a leg and arm hold in 3:13; Ginsburg, unattached, drew a bye.

Semi-finals—Rosenbaum defeated Ginsburg with a half nelson in 1:42; Smith defeated Lusk with a body hold in :42.

135 pound class preliminaries—Thommen, Davis Square A. C., defeated Small, Evanston, Y. M. C. A., with a leg hold in :45; Spanger, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Carlson, Central Y. M. C. A., with a further arm hold in 1:25; Wach, Cornell Square A. C., defeated W. Kennedy, Central Y. M. C. A., with a crotch hold in 3:45; Cuscuris, unattached, defeated Stevens, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., with a half nelson and leg hold in 3:27; E. C. Babcock, Central Y. M. C. A., drew a bye.

Semi-finals—Thommen defeated Babcock with a half nelson in 1:10, Wach beat Cuscuris with a body hold in 1:39, and Spanger drew a bye.

145 pound class preliminaries—Boisse, North Side A. C., defeated Lee, Central Y. M. C. A., with a half nelson in 5:14; Joe Thomas, Cornell Square A. C., defeated Babcock, Cornell Square A. C., with an arm hold in 5:47; Spanger, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Speakman, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., with a half nelson in 2:27; Lesher, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Sturm, Cornell Square A. C., on points in 6:00; John Kennedy, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Fritz, North Side A. C., on points in 6:00; Banse, Chicago Turners, drew a bye.

Semi-finals—Boisse beat Spanger on points in 6:00; Thomas beat Banse with a half nelson in 4:30; John Kennedy defeated Lesher with a body hold in 3:12.

158 pound class—Klein, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Heyne, North Side A. C., with a further arm hold in 5:21; Hills, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Ferguson, West Side Y. M. C. A., with a half nelson in 3:41; Thorne, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., defeated Haywood, Gideon A. C. of Austin, with a headlock in 3:20; Tortenson, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., drew a bye.

Semi-finals—Tortenson defeated Hils with a body hold and half nelson in 3:00; Klein beat Thorne with a crotch hold in 5:14.

Heavyweight class—Motis, Cornell Square A. C., defeated Hingley, Evanston Y. M. C. A., with a head and arm hold in 3:32; Hills, Central Y. M. C. A., won from Ferguson, unattached, by default; Lesher, Central Y. M. C. A., defeated Brelle, Central Y. M. C. A., on points in 6:00.

The finals in all the classes will be held tonight.

GAMES IN BOWLING LEAGUES.

Cooleys Average 1,002 2-3 in the Lincoln Tourney, but Drop One Game of Series to the Frabels.

South Chicago bowlers broke loose again last night and once more the night's records went to the steel mill town. The Cooleys of the Lincoln league rolled the highest figures of the night with a score of 1026 and an average of 1002 2-3, but at that only won two games from the Frabels, who rolled 1023 in the first and average 966 1-3. Jones and Schoenig tied for high average, with 215 1-3. Leverens had 210 and Eggars 203 2-3.

The Major Whistlers and Schindlers rolled a postponed series in the Derby league and the former won the odd with an average of 967 to 934 2-3 for the losers. In the Business Men's league Roy Davis averaged 216 flat for the Cosmos. Scores:

LINCOLN.

Frabels.	1.	2.	3.	Cooleys.	1.	2.	3.
Eggars	190	221	200	Davies	209	167	204
Mason	206	211	158	Cooley	184	178	204
Rooney	256	184	133	Nossman	180	222	181
Frabel	166	164	154	Leverenz	190	236	204
Schoenig	205	224	217	Jones	200	216	233
Totals	1023	1004	872	Totals	963	1019	1026

DERBY.

M. Whistlers	979	953	969	Schindlers	918	974	912

FAN—"HOW FUNNY THEY ARE."

CUBS SECURE JOHNNY KANE.

Durbin and Downey Are Traded for Cincinnati Player.

EXCHANGE LOOKS EQUAL.

Chance Praises Ability of Chicago Boy as an Infielder.

Manager Chance of the world's champion Cubs last night closed a deal for Johnny Kane, the fast little Cincinnati outfielder, giving the Reds Pitcher Durbin and Infielder Downey, the youngster secured from the Birmingham Southern association club, as payment.

The trade was announced after a dialogue between Chance and Manager Clark Griffith lasting most of the day. It was known Griffith was anxious to land Downey, who has been the subject of much favorable comment during the meeting here. Earlier in the day "Griff" proposed to take Downey on trial, sending him back to the Cubs if he didn't make good, and, if he did, turning over Kane to the champions. This arrangement did not appeal to Chance, who wanted Kane for keeps or not at all. Both managers expressed themselves as well pleased with the exchange.

"There's one trade that will please Chicago fans," said the peerless leader. "Kane is a Chicago boy and is popular on the west side. It is wrong to class him as an outfielder exclusively. I have seen him play the infield, second base, and I tell you he is fast as lightning on the job. Durbin wasn't satisfied here and we are not going to have any dissatisfied ones on our list. I have heard good things about Downey, but he will be a better man for Cincinnati than he would for us, as our infield is filled up and there is little chance for a youngster."

Chance's assertion that Kane is a fast second baseman was taken to mean that the former South Division High school boy might be given an opportunity of playing the position here during Evers' absence. He probably will fight it out with Zimmerman for the job. Kane is a first class utility man, better, in fact, than he is a regular on account of his slight build and inability to stand the daily grind.

"Kane should do well in Chicago," said Griffith. "We wanted Downey because we are in need of young infielders. We are trying to build up our team. It's a good trade both ways."

Manager Chance and President Ebbets of the Brooklyn club tried to reach an agreement on a deal for Pitcher McIntyre, but could not get together. Chance offered Zimmerman and one of his youngsters for the Brooklyn pitcher, but Ebbets said he would not part with him unless he could secure Hofman and Zimmerman in exchange. This brought a sad smile to the peerless leader's face and the incident was closed.

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR TURFMEN

Manitoba Racing Circuit Will Offer $57,000 in Purses for Events Which Begin May 24.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 18.—The Manitoba racing circuit will offer purses aggregating $57,000 for turf events this summer. The circuit races will open on May 24 at Brandon. The races will include both harness and running events. During the week of July 10 the races will be held in Winnipeg, when $27,000 in purses will be offered.

DERBY TRIAL TO HIGH PRIVATE.

Forsythe Gelding and Fanatic from the Same Stable Finish First and Third in Oakland Feature.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 18.—A good card was offered at Oakland today with the Derby trial, at a mile and a sixteenth, as the feature. High Private and Fanatic, from the Forsythe stable, ruled favorites. After Lighthouse and Madman tired High Private drew away and won from Tom Hayward, while Fanatic was third.

The stewards of the new California Jockey club today ruled Frank Gosset, a bookmaker, and Guy Mack off the turf on a charge of bribing Jockey Sandy in May of last year. Sandy is reinstated. Summaries:

First race, 7-16 mile, purse—Jack Dennerlen, 112 [Scoville], 7 to 1, won; Napa Nick, 105 [McCarthy], 11 to 2, second; Alder Gulch, 109 [Taplin], 7 to 1, third. Time, :44 1-5. Judge Henderson, Father Eugene, Matchem, Cian, Sixteen, Grahame, and Bay Streak ran.

Second race, ¾ mile, selling—Argonaut, 108 [Mentry], 2 to 1, won; Osorine, 101 [Clark], 9 to 2, second; Descomnets, 107 [Keogh], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 4-5. Allness, Serenade, Little Jane, Matchtulla, Charles W. Hodges, Bright Skies, and False Nun ran.

Third race, 1 mile and 20 yards, selling—Fullette, 108 [Taplin], 3 to 4, won; Steel, 97 [Clark], 18 to 5, second; Nebulosus, 107 [Sweet], 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 2-5. Inport and Husky ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles, Derby trial—High Private, 118 [Lee], 11 to 20, won; Tom Hayward, 102 [Gilbert], 9 to 1, second; Fanatic, 105 [McCarthy], 11 to 20, third. Time, 1:50 1-5. Palo Alto, Lighthouse, Ocean Queen, and Madman ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—Dainty Belle, 102 [Taplin], 9 to 1, won; Dollie Dollars, 111 [Keogh], 16 to 5, second; Rosevale, 105 [Gilbert], 9 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 4-5. Miss Delaney, Estella C., Em and Em, Melar, Priceless Jewel, Blanche C., and Sahara ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile—Fordello, 107 [Lee], 2 to 5, won; May Amelia, 102 [Gilbert], 8 to 1, second; Fancy, 89 [Anderson], 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 4-5. Early Tide, Hector, Seinwa, Rather Royal, and Pio Pico ran.

RACE RESULTS AT LOS ANGELES.

First race, ⅝ mile—Milpitas, 112 [Powers], 2 to 5, won; Third Rail, 101 [Page], 7 to 1, second; Volma C., 104 [Shriner], 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 3-5. Pilon, Henry of Shennamere, Light Comedy, Arragon, and St. Kilda ran.

Second race, 2 year olds, 7-16 mile—Sepulveda, 107 [Shilling], 9 to 10, won; Kiora, 109 [Powers], 7 to 2, second; Helma S., 108 [Howard], 4 to 1, third. Time, :40 4-5. Sporting Life, Fred Stone, Lady Paret, Gar, Mary's Lamb, Mary Van Buren, and El Perfecto ran.

Third race, 11-16 mile—Lady Irma, 105 [Shilling], 9 to 10, won; Billy Bodemer, 104 [Howard], 9 to 1, second; Jane Swift, 108 [Kennedy], 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 3-5. Work and Play, All Alone, Uncle Jim, Free Knight, The Bear, and Semproni ran.

Fourth race, ⅞ mile—Galves, 109 [Powers], 4 to 1, won; John Louis, 101 [Page], 4 to 1, second; King of the Mist, 109 [Shilling], 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:26 1-5. Kerry, Entre Nous, Skyo, Financier, and Charley Paine ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Piute, 100 [Schilling], 2 to 5, won; Azo, 104 [McGee], 6 to 1, second; Otilo, 100 [Goldstein], 11 to 2, third. Time, 1:39 1-5. Donatus, Nasmerito, and Parton ran.

Sixth race, ⅞ mile—Progress, 109 [Aubuchon], 5 to 2, won; Rey Del Mundo, 109 [Butwell], 10 to 1, second; Teo Beach, 101 [Page], 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:25 1-5. Sadler, Day Star, Josie S., Oriflamb, Decklaw, Manila S., Korosliany, Bye Bye II., Friar of Elgin, and Ampedo ran.

Seventh race, 11-16 mile—Creston, 110 [Shilling], 3 to 4, won; Inclement, 106 [McGee], 9 to 1, second; Garter Light, 115 [Howard], 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:05 3-5. Semproslie, Carasco, Banrose, Senator Barrett, Allen Lee, Shirley Rossmore, Jane Laurel, and Benstone ran.

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS.

BY HEK.

Col. Henry Clay Pulliam is a clean, wholesome gentleman of excellent pedigree and brilliant performance, rare executive capacity, and a personal courage that tangles you. He has a gameness that prompts him to speak his piece regardless of the change he leaves on the tray. He is a good fellow, a clean fellow, and an ornament to the game we all go crazy about.

But don't you think he ought to take something for his hysterics?

We have read twelve faithful and accurate reports of what has happened in the baseball convention and received as many impressions. The only thing the bright minds that spread it before you agree on is the schedule.

We have heard of the man who took a home cooked egg sandwich to a banquet, but never until now of anybody taking an ax to a love feast.

Well, we haven't held out any of our numerous varieties of climate on the stranger within the gates. He has had it all in the space of seventy-two hours. He has seen the weather vane chase its tail industriously. He has had the Medicine Hat bliz., the Glasgow fog, the London particular, the South Haven mist, and the Chicago special. In the way of wind—and this is the Windy City, according to the Indianapolis and Toledo papers—we have given him the nor'west bite, the nor'east chisel, the sou'east ooze, and the stockyards zephyr. We have boxed the thermometer from 10 below freezing to 42 above. In fact, we have given him everything our weather man has in the shop.

Boston enthusiasts are up in arms over the transfer of Cy Young to Cleveland, and according to the dispatches there is a plan on foot to put John I. Taylor on the unfair list, as they say in the bricklayers' union. It looks direful at the present slant, but about three months from now they will have forgotten about it. Chicago was more violent than staid and sober Boston ever dares be over the sale of Kelly and Clarkson, but the violence was not manifested in the gate receipts. Cy is not worrying. If the truth were known he blissfully is contemplating the load of junk that will be pressed upon him the first time he goes to bat in the old town.

Things were quite active on the baseball bourse yesterday owing to the heavy influx of country buyers. Seasoned pitchers fetched all the way from $500 to $1,000. There was quite a brisk demand for likely looking yearlings who are yearning for a chance to ride in painted cars from one big city to another.

Everything is lovely at a baseball harmony banquet until after the second course. There must be something in the fish that sets 'em going.

In reporting a curling match "Skip Murray" is no the way to pit it. It maun be "Murray, skip." D'ye ken?

They have started a future book on the results of the pennant races. Of course we are all horrified, but what are we going to do about it?

There is a tendency not to take Mr. Pulliam too seriously, but perhaps Mr. Pulliam knows what is best for his nerves.

EXTRANEOUS REMARKS.

Texas is the latest state to furnish an example of what the racing game has come to. Texas was wide open once. It passed a stringent law against gambling with animate or inanimate tools. The operation of the law killed the state fair at Dallas. At the request of the farmers the law was modified. In a year or two the condition was worse than ever. Texas became the dumping ground for the horse guineas that had been driven out of other states. Then the blow.

Hugh McIntosh is now basking in the shine of everything that is glorious in promotive pugilism.

A. G. B.—You must remain in abeyance with that bird until the crowd has left town.

H. B.—We shall get around to you after awhile. There are three orders of baseball in front.

M'CORMICK IS VICTOR IN GREAT RACQUET CONTEST.

Chicagoan Reaches Semi-Finals in the Amateur Championship by Defeating George Fearing of Boston.

New York, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The tournament for the amateur racquet championship of the United States at the New York Racquet and Tennis club was brought down today to the semi-finals, in which New York has two representatives and Chicago and Philadelphia one each.

Four matches were played in the second round, but only one was deserving of special notice, the other three being decided by one sided scores.

Harold F. McCormick of Chicago scored a notable victory over George R. Fearing of the Boston Racquet club after the most sensational contest ever seen in a local court by scores of 15—12, 9—15, 15—12, 16—17, 15—11.

The match brought out all the resources of both players. Five sets were required to bring it to a decision, during which time sixty-three hands were played. Fearing was prolific in his variety of strokes and showed excellent judgment in placing. McCormick met the Bostonian at his own game, and in spite of the superior experience of the latter he showed surprising skill with the racquet and carried off the honors.

60 DAYS LEFT TO COAST TRACKS

Gov. Gillett Will Sign Walker-Otis Bill Today—Meetings Must Be Cut Short.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 18.—Gov. Gillett will sign the Walker-Otis anti-race track gambling bill tomorrow morning. The bill becomes operative sixty days after the governor's signature is attached. This means that the Emeryville and Santa Anita tracks will not be able to finish their present session as scheduled.

Umpire Raphum Signs.

Havana, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—L. S. Raphum of Chicago has been retained as an Illinois-Missouri league umpire. Umpire J. A. Neston also has signed.

BALKS AT MEETING GANS

Nelson Tells Why He Was Slow to Arrange Match with Negro.

SPORT CRITICS FORCE ISSUE.

Battling Describes Incidents Leading Up to Battle at Goldfield.

BY BATTLING NELSON.

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Immediately after the Herrera fiasco I began another theatrical tour, which finally landed me in Chicago. Joe Gans had been following me for some time, and he would appear on the stage of the various showhouses and challenge me for a fight.

He followed me into a newspaper office in Boston one day and became so persistent that we almost came to blows. I refused to listen to his talk for a long time and many sporting writers and the general public wondered why.

My first reason for holding him off was that he was looked upon as one of the crookedest fighters the prize ring has ever seen or ever will see. He was a self-confessed faker, having admitted to the Terry McGovern scandal in Chicago as well as to that most palpable fake with Jimmy Britt in San Francisco. For all of that he was a wonderful fighter, and I refused a meeting with him on the grounds that I had never been mixed in a scandal of any kind whatsoever, and knew the minute I signed articles I would be accused and called as guilty as him.

Finally the entire coterie of sport writers the country over came out and demanded a meeting between Gans and myself, claiming that Gans as well as I had beaten all the lightweights in the country, and it was up to him and I to settle for once and all the question as to who was the real, undisputed lightweight champion of the world.

Upon this demand I finally consented to a meeting.

Settles Match with Gans.

The meeting with Gans was spectacular in more ways than one. I had just spent two weeks hunting and fishing up through Ogden cañon, being piloted over the country by Hegewisch Anderson, one of the pioneers of Utah. I had a grand two weeks' season of hunting and fishing. I then went to Salt Lake City, where I engaged in an exhibition bout of three rounds with Willard Bean, the Mormon pugilistic minister.

Just about this time Goldfield, Nev., was in the height of its boom, and naturally I was interested. One day I picked up a Goldfield Sun, which stated that Jack Clifford had arrived on the scene and challenged the entire camp, and the club promoters were advertising for an opponent for Clifford for Labor day. As I had enjoyed a good rest and was just aching for a fight I sent a telegram to the Sun, informing them that if the inducements were right I would come and meet Clifford.

In the course of an hour's time I received an answer asking me what my terms were to meet Clifford. I wired back I would accept a $5,000 guarantee, with a $5,000 side bet, the fight to be to a finish.

Evidently the Goldfield sporting blood was aroused to bigger game, as they sent me the following answer:

"Your proposition of $5,000 guarantee and $5,000 side bet accepted, but would prefer a meeting between yourself and Gans. We will give $15,000 for same. TEX RICKARD.

"Goldfield Athletic Club. Answer."

I sent back the following reply:

"Tex Rickard, Goldfield Athletic Club, Goldfield, Nev.: Raise bid to $30,000 for Gans match and accepted. BATTLING NELSON."

In less than an hour's time I received the following telegram from Rickard:

"Your proposition is accepted. Money posted J. S. Cook & Co. bank; will forward to Salt Lake or any place you name."

Bat Guaranteed $23,000.

I wired back to Rickard and told him to wire the money to the San Francisco Call, and that if this was done we would come on and make the match. Rickard responded promptly. As I didn't know Tex Rickard's standing at that time I wired him either to send on $500 expense money or have Johnny Nolan, proprietor of the Palace in Reno, guarantee it, which he did. My manager went to Goldfield and arranged the "minor details," and when I arrived a few days later Gans and everybody interested was on the scene, and we arranged a meeting and signed articles.

I was to receive in addition to $20,000 of the purse $2,500 bonus and $500 expenses, making a grand total for my end of $23,000. Gans was given $1,000 bonus and expenses in addition to his $10,000 guarantee, win, lose, or draw. We drew $69,715, which was undoubtedly the largest amount in gate money every taken in at a prize fight in the history of the ring.

Much discussion was aroused regarding the "three time weighing in"—namely: 12 o'clock, at 1:30, and again at 3 p. m. on the day of the contest.

This was done to avoid any more Herrera fiascos, as I had just experienced one, at a great expense. Nevertheless, neither my manager nor I asked Gans to do a single solitary thing that I myself didn't agree to do and do willingly. Therefore I don't think we should be criticised. "What's good for the goose ought to be good for the gander."

This fight was given more publicity than any other contest in the history of pugilism, including such great battles as the Fitzsimmons-Dempsey and the Sullivan-Corbett fights at New Orleans, and even the great Corbett-Fitzsimmons go at Carson City, Nev.

The widespread interest in the fight attracted hordes of sporting people from all over the universe. Goldfield at that time had a population of less than 2,500 people. To get to Goldfield you had to ride thirteen hours straight out on the desert from the main line, and only one train a day on regular schedule.

Every newspaper in the United States that could afford it had a representative there to report the fight. We met in a specially constructed arena which cost the promoters $15,000 to build. It was located down on the flats, two blocks from the main street. The edge of the fence extended directly into a graveyard.

It was a warm, clear afternoon. The exact time of the starting of the contest was 3:23 p. m. Gans and I weighed in under weight—fit and ready for the fight of our lives. Gans was expected to outpoint me during the early part of the fight, but at the end of the third round I retired to my corner, telling my seconds that I would knock him out in the next round. I had just hurt him with a good hard left half scissors hook to the liver which finally proved his undoing. Gans stalled through the fourth and fifth rounds and commenced to take quite a lead. In the eighteenth round he had a decided lead. In the nineteenth and twentieth I commenced to hit my fighting stride and took quite a lead myself. Up to this time Gans had been the favorite in the betting. The tide switched, however, after the twentieth round, and I was then an overwhelming favorite, people betting $500 to $100 that I would win. There was scarcely a taker in sight. After that round it was impossible to force Gans to fight, as he would hold, hang on, clinch, stall, back up, and run away.

Referee Overlooks Clause.

There was a clause in the articles of agreement that we were to break upon orders from the referee and he was not to lay hands upon us. George Siler evidently forgot about such a clause or else didn't care. Several times during the fight, when I was in close doing effective work punishing Gans in the body, Siler deliberately took hold of my hair and pulled me back, allowing Gans to thump me on the jaw.

At the forty-second round it was getting dark and would have been impossible for the fight to have continued over three rounds more at the outside. During the latter part of the contest Gans went back to his corner several times vomiting. As he reached his corner at the end of the forty-first round he heaved violently and I could tell by his condition that his finish was very near.

As the gong sounded for the forty-second round I sailed over to Gans' corner and met him within a yard of his chair. I went after him hammer and tongs determined to knock him out. I had backed him about half way across the ring when I delivered the final punch, a hard left half scissors hook to the liver that traveled less than a foot. This punch was delivered with the forefinger and thumb, the knuckles being up, and landed directly on his liver, on the right side of his body, just above the second rib.

This is the punch that toppled the black champion over. Referee Siler commenced to count and had reached the count of "four" when Gans' seconds jumped up on the edge of the ring and began yelling "Foul! Foul!"

Makes Vigorous Protest.

The referee then stopped counting, and, thrusting me aside, waited almost a minute, when he declared that Gans had won on a foul.

I made a vigorous protest, claiming that I had not dealt a foul blow, but it was all to no avail. I said then, and still declare, that Gans deliberately quit under punishment for fear of being knocked out legitimately by me.

Two years later I knocked Gans out twice with the same identical punch, delivered in the same place and on the same spot. The referees, Jack Welsh and Eddie Smith, declared no foul blows were struck.

The twenty-third installment of the "Life, Battles, and Career of Battling Nelson" will appear tomorrow morning.

Big Task for Ad. Wolgast.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Ad Wolgast, who is to meet Danny Webster in a ten round match next Tuesday at McCarey's club, today signed to fight twenty rounds with Walter Little of Chicago next Friday night at the Jeffries club.

PUGILISTIC POINTERS.

Jem Driscoll, the little English featherweight who will meet Abe Attel tonight in New York, is reported down to weight. In fact, he will weigh only a pound or so more than his opponent when the two step into the ring, and he says he is not weakened any by the reducing.

In a letter received at his home near Toronto, Canada, Tommy Burns says he will be in America by the latter part of next May. He will try to get on a match with Stanley Ketchel. At present Burns is touring New Zealand, where he is getting £100 a week doing a vaudeville circuit.

Battling Nelson has received an offer to meet Jimmy Britt in London, England. Britt is at present on the other side, where he is to meet Johnny Summers in a return battle on Feb. 22, and if he wins Hugh D. McIntosh, the Australian promoter, will try to arrange the match with Nelson.

Johnny Coulon, bantamweight champion, will have a hard battle on his hands next week when he meets a little Hebrew fighting under the name of "Young" O'Leary at the Whirlwind A. C. in New York. In a battle he had with O'Leary last summer, Johnny had a little better of the mill, but not enough to satisfy the patrons of the game, for Coulon was given the fight of his life.

COULON TOO FAST FOR JOHN DALY.

Chicagoan Defends His Title in Clever Bout at New York City.

LOSER SHOWS GAMENESS.

Champion Outpoints His Opponent in Every Round Except the Eighth.

New York, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Johnny Coulon of Chicago successfully defended his title of bantam champion against Johnny Daly of this city at the Whirlwind A. C. in a ten round bout here tonight.

The contest, which was one of the fastest seen in this city for some time, went the limit, with Coulon having all the better of it in every round save the eighth. In this period Daly managed to land a stiff right swing to Coulon's neck, almost putting the champion to the boards. The punch, however, did not seem to phase Coulon, who kept after his rival, landing rights and lefts with impunity. Daly bothered Coulon by his persistent roughing and ability to assimilate punishment. Coulon dealt out enough blows to make an ordinary man quit a dozen times. But with indomitable pluck and courage Daly came back like a bulldog ready to mix it.

There seldom was a lull in any of the rounds. Coulon assumed the same tactics he used in his fight at the same club against "Kid" Murphy last week. He was on top of Daly all of the time and never gave him any quarter. He displayed great judgment in distance and every blow he landed told. In the final round, which was as fast as the preceding rounds, he was after Daly without a letup. He had Daly covered with blood and weary. Daly never wavered and at the final bell was up and doing and ready to mix it. There were no knockdowns and with the exception of the first four rounds the bout was free from fouls.

DRISCOLL WINS FIERCE BOUT.

Irish Bantam Has Better of Battle with Frankie Neil in Ten Rounds at New York.

New York, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—In one of the fiercest fights seen in New York in many days Bozo Driscoll, the Irish bantamweight, had all the better of a ten round battle with Frankie Neil, the former champion, at the Fairmount Athletic club here tonight.

The bout went the limit and at the finish Neil was in a bad way. The fight at one time looked like Neil's. He dropped his man in the seventh round, but the foreigner came back so well thereafter that there is no question in the minds of those present as to which man deserved the verdict. Neil, however, was universally admired for his gameness and aggressiveness at all stages.

STEIN AND GOODMAN BOX DRAW.

Fight Ten Even Rounds in Windup of Pekin Boxing Club's Opening Show.

Pekin, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Seven hundred fans witnessed the opening bouts of the Pekin Boxing club tonight. Julius Stein and Danny Goodman of Chicago fought a ten round draw. Kid Taylor of Chicago was given the decision over Matty McFadden of Peoria in a ten round go. In the preliminaries, Jack McNamara knocked out Young Kubiak of Chicago in one round, and Jack McGinley of Moline and Herman Zeigler of Milwaukee went six rounds to a draw.

No Fight at New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Johnny Thompson and Bert Keyes refused to fight here tonight after sizing up the small house. The police responded to a riot call when the crowd got noisy, but no arrests were made.

Fred Corbett Outpoints Stinger.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—"Young" Fred Corbett easily outpointed "Kid" Stinger in their six round contest here tonight.

WHIST CARNIVAL OPENS TODAY.

Chicago Association's Tenth Annual Tourney Scheduled to Start at 10 O'Clock in Victoria Hotel.

The tenth annual carnival of the Chicago Whist association opens at the Victoria hotel this morning at 10 o'clock.

All the games will be played in the banquet hall except those for men's pairs, which will be played in the rooms of the Chicago Whist club. Through the courtesy of President Cooper the midwinter meeting of the American Whist league will be held in Chicago at the same time, bringing to the carnival many of the most noted players of the country.

The leading event today will be the contest for women's pairs, which starts at 10 o'clock and will be continued each morning during the carnival. There also will be open contests every morning, afternoon, and evening. All whist players are eligible and partners will be provided for those who have not made their own arrangements.

School Five Play Tonight.

Play in the four sections of Illinois for the high school basketball championship will be started tonight as follows: Northeast section at Oak Park, northwest section at Rock Island, southern section at Centralia, and central section at Decatur. The teams to compete at Decatur will be Bloomington, Bellflower, Washington, Tuscola, Lexington, Delavan, Colfax, Eureka, La Place.

Leavitt Independents Win.

The Leavitt Independent basketball team defeated the Amherst A. C. five at the Leavitt "gym" last night 23 to 16.

Spaldings Win Fourth Game.

Owosso, Mich., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The Chicago Spalding indoor nine won the fourth game here, 2 to 1. The score was 1 to 0 in the first of the ninth in favor of the Spaldings, and Day singled with two on bases, tieing the score. Fletcher, the Owosso catcher, made an error, which let in another run for the visitors.

At the Billiard Halls.

At Hemmer's—Booth [60] won from J. McClean [70] by a score of 60 to 60.

At Foley's—Cochrane [165] won from Van Hasten [165] at balkline, 165 to 120.

At Weeghman's—Houston defeated Colin at three cushions, 50 to 42. Hueston will play Morin Saturday night and Capt. Anson Monday.

At O'Leary's—"Cowboy" Charles Weston regained the lead in his handicap pool match with Clarence Safford in the fourth game of the contest, the score at the finish being 209 to 107. The total count now is 614 to 484 in Weston's favor.

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HOWS GAMENESS.

Outpoints His Oppo- Every Round Ex- t the Eighth.

Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Johnny ago successfully defended his m champion against Johnny ity at the Whirlwind A. C. in out here tonight.

which was one of the fastest ity for some time, went the lon having all the better of it d save the eighth. In this anaged to land a stiff right n's neck, almost putting the he boards. The punch, how- em to phase Coulon, who kept landing rights and lefts with ly bothered Coulon by his hing and ability to assimilate Coulon dealt out enough blows inary man quit a dozen times. itable pluck and courage Daly a bulldog ready to mix it. n was a lull in any of the n assumed the same tactics he ht at the same club against y last week. He was on top the time and never gave him He displayed great judgment l every blow he landed told. und, which was as fast as the s, he was after Daly without a Daly covered with blood and ever wavered and at the final d doing and ready to mix it. knockdowns and with the ex- irst four rounds the bout was

WINS FIERCE BOUT.

Has Better of Battle with Neil in Ten Rounds t New York.

b. 18.—[Special.]—In one of the in New York in many days Boyo h bantamweight, had all the bet- d battle with Frankie Neil, the at the Fairmount Athletic club

the limit and at the finish Neil y. The fight at one time looked dropped his man in the seventh oreigner came back so well there- is no question in the minds of o which man deserved the verdict. was universally admired for his gressiveness at all stages.

GOODMAN BOX DRAW.

ven Rounds in Windup of Boxing Club's Open- ing Show.

. 18.—[Special.]—Seven hundred the opening bouts of the Pekin light. Julius Stein and Danny cago fought a ten round draw. icago was given the decision over of Peoria in a ten round go. ies. Jack McNamara knocked out f Chicago in one round, and Jack line and Herman Zeigler of Mil- rounds to a draw.

ht at New Orleans.

a., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Johnny rt Keyes refused to fight here to- up the small house. The police ot call when the crowd got noisy, ere made.

tt Outpoints Stinger.

., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—"Young" ly outpointed "Kid" Stinger in test here tonight.

NIVAL OPENS TODAY.

ciation's Tenth Annual heduled to Start at 10 in Victoria Hotel.

al carnival of the Chicago Whist at the Victoria hotel this morn-

will be played in the banquet for men's pairs, which will be ms of the Chicago Whist club. rtesy of President Cooper the of the American Whist league cago at the same time, bringing any of the most noted players of

nt today will be the contest for hich starts at 10 o'clock and each morning during the car- o will be open contests every n, and evening. All whist play- d partners will be provided for t made their own arrangements.

ive Play Tonight.

sections of Illinois for the high championship will be started to- Northeast section at Oak Park. at Rock Island, southern section entral section at Decatur. The t Decatur will be Bloomington, gton, Tuscola, Lexington, Dela- a, La Place.

Independents Win.

endent basketball team defeated five at the Leavitt "gym" last

Win Fourth Game.

Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The Chicago ine won the fourth game here, 2 s 1 to 0 in the first of the ninth paldings, and Day singled with ing the score. Fletcher, the ade an error, which let in an- visitors.

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PERMITS BOOTH CO. TO BUY UP STOCK.

Judge Kohlsaat Authorizes Receiver to Absorb a Pacific Coast Concern.

INSURES HALIBUT SUPPLY

Fight on Introduction of "Criminal Evidence" Expected at Hearing Today.

Receiver W. J. Chalmers and the bankers' creditors' committee of A. Booth & Co. took another step toward reorganizing the fish business yesterday. Receiver Chalmers presented a petition to Judge C. C. Kohlsaat in the United States Circuit court asking the court to authorize the purchase of the controlling interest in the Chlopeck Fish company of Seattle, in which the Booth company held a minority interest. The petition was based upon a decision made by the creditors' committee in a meeting on Feb. 8.

Judge Kohlsaat authorized the receiver to purchase 236 shares of the Chlopeck concern, which is capitalized at $75,000.

Before the receivership the Booth company held 514 shares of the Chlopeck stock and had secured an option of the remaining shares at the price of $10,000. Since the receivership an offer of $8,500 for this stock has been made, but the creditors deemed it best to purchase the stock. It is through the Chlopeck company that A. Booth & Co. received most of its supply of Pacific coast halibut, and it was to insure the continuance of this source of supply that the company was bought in.

Fight Expected at Hearing.

Interesting developments are expected today when the hearing for the discovery of the assets of the defunct fish house will continue before Master in Chancery Hervey Booth. Attorney Jacob Newman, representing the creditors' committee, said during the day he would continue the examination of Frederick R. Robbins, formerly assistant treasurer of A. Booth & Co., in an endeavor to discover who signed the false financial statements upon which extensions of credit were obtained, and also at whose direction the false statements were compiled.

In view of the ruling of Judge Kohlsaat that the present inquiry must not be used to discover evidence of criminality on the part of officers of the company a hot fight upon the line of questions which has been taken up is expected, and it is probable many questions will be objected to and certified up to the court for a decision as to whether they are beyond the bounds of a civil proceeding.

Smith Anxious to "Speak Out."

Ira M. Smith, former vice president of the company, renewed his statement that he is willing and anxious to give any testimony that the creditors may require.

"I have been the target for mud throwing for five months," he said. "The time is coming for me to speak out, and I will speak in a way that will vindicate me and show where the blame really lies."

HALSTED STREET PROPOSED AS LINK FOR BOULEVARDS.

Board of Local Improvements Defers Until Next October Consideration of the Michigan Project.

Halsted street as the boulevard link connecting the north, south, and west sides is the latest plan of some of the members of the local board of improvements instead of the plan recommended by the Commercial club and others for an elevated boulevard in Michigan avenue.

The board adopted a resolution deferring further consideration of the pending resolutions for widening Michigan avenue and Pine street, and for constructing a viaduct and approaches until Oct. 14.

President H. S. Dietrich said the plan is to boulevard Twelfth street from Michigan avenue west to Halsted street, Halsted street north to Chicago avenue, and Chicago avenue east to Pine street.

No explanation was given as to what will be done with the car tracks in all three of these thoroughfares in case the plan meets with approval, nor does it seem to have progressed any further than just laying out the route.

Behind it all, however, hovers a belief in the minds of some of the city fathers that the property owners of La Salle street have stolen a march on the Commercial club and those who have been so carefully nurturing the Michigan avenue boulevard link plan.

The committee on streets and alleys south already has approved the ordinance for boulevarding La Salle street from the river to Washington street, and Washington street west to the river, and the same committee for the north side early this week approved the ordinance for boulevarding La Salle avenue from Lincoln park to the river.

The finance committee decided yesterday that the appropriation for a bridge over the river at La Salle street shall be made this year, and it only requires the boulevarding of Washington street from the river west to Halsted street, and the acceptance of the boulevard by the park boards, to complete the scheme. It was pointed out by President Dietrich that this would be the cheapest way to accomplish a boulevard link.

SEIZE EXPECTORATORS IN CARS.

Detectives Active in New Campaign, with Result Eighteen Spitters Are Fined.

Eighteen men arrested in the anti-expectoration crusade were fined $2 each before Judge Hume yesterday.

Many excuses and complaints were in evidence when the expectorators, who were arrested in L and surface cars, were lined up before the judge. Some asserted others had violated the ordinance and escaped arrest. Others, who wanted company in misery, asked how they could cause the arrest of violators. The prisoners were:

Frank Kraus,	C. McDonald,
A. L. Levinson,	Frank Wilson,
H. B. Edmond,	R. A. Long,
Richard Eaton,	E. A. Stowell,
Peter Angelo,	Anton Kostner,
F. Bell,	Art. Lallegren,
Joseph Adduct,	Henry Killen,
L. R. Hall,	Eli Ronsom,
Louis D. Rudder,	J. N. Babbitt.

John Farley, a liveryman, and Charles Brown, a bookkeeper, later were arrested for spitting in a Wentworth avenue car.

Luman C. Mann of Oak Park, accused of the murder of Mrs. Frances Gilmor Thompson in a Michigan avenue rooming house last summer, failed to identify Policeman Ernest Jupman as the policeman he had seen violating the ordinance prohibiting spitting. Judge Cleland discharged the policeman.

SPECIAL POLICE STATUS FIXED.

Appellate Court Declares Guardians Employed by Companies to Keep Peace, Not as Servants.

Special policemen are not servants, in the opinion of the branch Appellate court, filed in the suit of George Adler against the White City Construction company.

Adler was a waiter at the White City casino in 1906. He was discharged after a quarrel with a barkeeper, who had Special Policeman Carr "take him out." It was charged that Carr assaulted Adler outside the grounds.

Adler recovered a verdict of $1,000 before a jury in the Municipal court, but the upper court reverses this, holding that the sole duty of the special policeman was that of keeping peace within the park.

Fraternity Men to Meet.

The annual founders' day banquet of the Phi Kappa Pi fraternity will be held at the Great Northern hotel tonight. Karl Edwin Harriman, president of the Alumni association of Chicago, will preside.

COL. TUCKER PROLONGS STAY

Gives as Reason Necessity of Treatment by Dentist.

NO ANSWER TO BILL FILED.

Army Officer Expected to Discuss Wife's Suit with Lawyer Today.

Giving as a reason for his delay in returning to Hot Springs the necessity of treatment at the hands of a dentist, Col. William F. Tucker will remain in Chicago for several days.

The length of his stay here, it was said yesterday, will be determined by the number of days needed for the repair work of his teeth; but it was believed he would return to his post at the Army and Navy hospital before the separate maintenance suit brought by his wife, Mrs. Mary Logan Tucker, is heard in the Superior court.

No Reply to Bill Filed.

No reply to the bill has been made by the army officer's attorneys, but he is expected to confer with Attorney Leo J. Doyle today concerning the form of pleading that will be entered. The first day of the March term is ten days away, and no claim of default can be entered until Wednesday, March 3. Before that time an answer or a cross bill probably will be filed.

Haynie R. Pearson, attorney for Mrs. Tucker, to whom all questions have been referred by her, refused to confirm a rumor that he would file an amended bill bringing into the suit the name of Mrs. Myrtle Platt, Col. Tucker's nurse, but he admitted the possibility that further action would be taken if any effort to evade the jurisdiction of the Superior court is made.

Findings Sent to Washington.

During the day the findings of the retiring board which considered the case of Col. Tucker along with those of five other officers were forwarded to Washington by Maj. Gen. Frederick D. Grant. The nature of the verdict was kept secret, but around army headquarters there was a rumor that a recommendation had been made to the secretary of war for the retirement of Col. Tucker on three-quarters pay, which would amount to $3,750 a year.

DR. LYDSTON WOULD FIGHT CRIME WITH CHLOROFORM.

Declares Society's First Duty, if Any, Toward Convict Is to Prevent Him from Being Born.

"The sot, the criminal and the idler should be compelled to make good or be chloroformed," declared Dr. G. Frank Lydston before the Oak Park Fellowship club last night.

He asserted that society's first duty toward the criminal—if it had any—was to prevent him from being born.

"Marriage restrictions and regulations would accomplish much," he said.

Dr. Lydston declared that society's first duty was toward itself.

"We pay the tax; we should be protected," he argued. "Restrict convict labor to state and municipal employment, make the convict reimburse the state and the man he robs, and if there's anything left let him have it.

"This would put the robber of high finance just where he belongs. A million dollar thief working out his peculations at a dollar or two a day would do more to bring the millennium than all the preaching that ever was preached.

"When the criminal has left the prison society's duty to itself is to see that he leads an honest, industrious life, and give him an opportunity to do so. The parole workshop should succeed the prison workshop."

He suggested a penal colony in the Philippines, or some such new environment for men who seem incorrigible.

COMMISSION MEN ARE INDICTED.

True Bills Accuse Former Officials of Emerson, Marlow & Co. of Swindling Independent Beef Company.

Indictments were returned yesterday against Frank Emerson, Herbert E. Emerson, and Hugh Marlow, former officials of the defunct commission firm of Emerson, Marlow & Co., charging them with operating a confidence game.

They are alleged to have swindled the Independent Beef company of Philadelphia, Pa., out of $5,000 through the use of false bills of lading.

Two other victims are said to be E. L. McAdams and Marsh L. Brown, both of whom are South Water street commission brokers. McAdams is said to have lost $23,000 and Brown said he lost $5,000.

The commission house failed last October with liabilities exceeding $500,000. It had been in business seventeen years.

HASHASH JURY OUT TODAY.

Prosecutor Probably Will Close His Address by Noon and Then Deliberations Will Begin.

The case of Hassan el Hashash, charged with the murder of Tuffa Shasheim, a 15 year old bootblack, will go to the jury in Judge Kersten's court today.

Assistant State's Attorney Short probably will close his plea by noon and then the jury will retire.

The prosecutor referred yesterday to the aged defendant as a butcher and declared Hashash's crime was the most brutal homicide ever committed in Chicago. He demanded the extreme penalty.

DELAY OF A DAY IN COOPER TRIAL.

Witnesses' Absence and Desire of Defense to Arrange Procedure Causes Halt.

COUNSEL IS IMPUGNED.

State Charges Attorney for Defendants Put Scabbard in Dead Man's Pocket.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 18.—Absence of some state witnesses and a desire on the part of the defense to arrange its plan of procedure caused an adjournment today until Saturday in the Cooper trial.

The state first announced that it rested its case in chief. When the defense asked until Saturday to prepare, and the continuance was granted, Attorney General McCarn announced that some missing witnesses would be here by that time, and that he would offer their testimony.

The state has satisfied itself with offering testimony to prove that Senator Carmack was slain in Nashville by Robin J. and Duncan B. Cooper, that John Sharp, when he heard the shots, knew what they were without looking around, and that prior to the killing several conferences had been held.

Claim Foundation for Conspiracy.

This, the state contends, is the foundation for proof of conspiracy. Attorney General McCarn subpoenaed sixty-four witnesses, and has scarcely used a score. Most of the others will be held in reserve for rebuttal.

The defense has not issued a summons, but says its witnesses will be present without court process. By not issuing subpoenas it prevents the state from knowing its witnesses' names.

The only incident of today's testimony was the state's attempt to prove by implication that the pistol holster found in the dead senator's overcoat pocket was put there by one of the attorneys for the defense when a few weeks ago he went to the morgue and tried on the overcoat.

Two witnesses testified it was not in the pocket when the senator was killed. It was found in the pocket by Gen. Washington of counsel for the defense when he tried on the overcoat.

State Concludes Not to Rest.

G. F. Cole of the Baptist Publishing company was the first afternoon witness. As soon as Cole was excused Attorney General McCarn announced that the state would rest its case in chief. The defense asked for time to arrange its case. Attorney Anderson said:

"We do not ask as long time as the state did, but if we can have until Saturday to arrange our proof we will be able to push our case rapidly."

The court granted the request, but had no sooner done so than Attorney General McCarn said:

"The state has a few more witnesses in its case in chief whom we despaired of getting here. However, with an adjournment to Saturday we believe we can get them here and will introduce them at that time."

"So the state does not rest," remarked Anderson sotto voce.

Testimony on Scabbard Incident.

The first witness of the day was Finley Dorris, a member of the undertaking firm which embalmed Senator Carmack's body. Dorris said he examined the pockets of the overcoat the night of the killing and again at the request of the state's attorney before the hearing for bail, and was positive the scabbard was not in the overcoat pocket then.

"Has any one else examined the clothing?"

"Yes, sir; Gen. Washington and Mr. Meeks, counsel for defense, examined it with my consent."

"When?"

"Since the application for bail."

"Can that holster be crumpled up and concealed in the hand?"

"It can."

Gen. Washington cross examined the witness, who said the article was a rubber shield, wore on the end of a revolver to prevent the barrel from wearing the pocket.

William Murray, bookkeeper for Dorris, told how Gen. Washington and Attorney Meeks examined Senator Carmack's clothing a few days after the application for bail for the three prisoners. Gen. Washington then brought from the witness the statement:

"I am satisfied you had nothing in your hand when you put it in the overcoat."

How Coopers Went to Doctor.

Dr. R. E. Fort, to whose infirmary the Coopers walked after the shooting, detailed how the defendants came to him.

"Robin Cooper had a pistol shot wound in the right shoulder just above the collar bone," said the witness. "I dressed the wound. There was no point of exit, and I assume the bullet is still in the young man's shoulder. When I started to dress the wound, Robin asked for tobacco and cigaret papers. I got them out of his pocket and found in his overcoat an automatic revolver. A bullet had passed through the left sleeve of his overcoat, but had not touched his person."

On cross examination Dr. Fort said he did not hear Col. Cooper say:

"I do not want any one to come in this room except the officers. I do not want to kill another man."

Fraud Charge Dismissed.

Emanuel Friedlander, arrested on a charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, was discharged yesterday by Judge Bettler because of the reluctance of Gustave Schocke to prosecute the case.

NEWS OF THE COURTS.

Decrees.

Judge Barnes—12038—Kedzie vs. C. N. B.; decree.—8702—Skala vs. Skala; decree.—9776—Margraff vs. Margraff; divorce.

Judge Ball—269650—Katz vs. Hunt et al.; decree of sale.—268207—Collins vs. Collins; decree of sept. maint.

Judge Chetlain—271084—Lehmann vs. Lehmann; divorce.

Judge Gray—287669—Gronke vs. Gronke; divorce.

Judgments.

Judge McEwen—19238—Winner vs. Page B. company; judgt. on fdg. $200.

Judge Chetlain—5312—St. Germaine vs. C. C. Ry. Co.; judgt. on verdt. $150.

Judge Gray—204825—Jones F. T. Co. vs. E. S. R. Co.; judgt. on fdg. $550.

Judge Tuthill—288666—Kruse vs. Pekholz; deflt. judgt. $108.54.

Court Calls for Today.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions.
Judge Bethea—No announcement.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Landis—10:15 a. m., motions.
Judge Bethea—No announcement.
Judge Kohlsaat—10 a. m., motions.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Judge Clifford—Trial call, 9, 10, 11, 2810.
Judge Brentano—Trial call, 304, 308.
Judge McSurely—Trial call, 2785, 2786.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Ball—9:30 a. m., chancery motions of course, naturalizations.

Judge Barnes—9:30 a. m., chancery motions of course. Trial call. 10 a. m., 11880; 2 p. m., 11408; 4 p. m., 4190.

Judge Kavanagh—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 10247, 19579, 19719, 19720, 7095, 19938, 10243, 19702, 19932, 19546, 19731, 19761, 19866, 19871, 19984. On trial, 18035.

Judge Abbott—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 9531, 8960, 9338, 8669, 8340, 8605, 8607, 14794, 16541, 14965, 16963, 8962, 7972, 12495, 7000, 17050, 14786, 18353, 16429, 11522.

Judge Freeman—10 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 11570, 6374, 18398, 11572, 18479, 18488, 21572, 18491, 18538, 18539, 18548, 18549. On trial, 6766.

Judge Dupuy—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 20583, 20648, 20649, 20650, 18394, 2 p. m.; set case, 16693. On trial, 20646.

Judge McEwen—10 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 247534, 19671, 19673, 19778, 19679, 19681, 19682, 19683, 19684.

Judge Chetlain—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 8468, 10052, 18265, 10260, 10832, 10665, 11825, 11830, 11679, 11881, 11993, 12088, 12279, 12319, 12120. On trial, 11631.

Judge Ben M. Smith—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 6026, 20008, 20010, 20014, 20001, 20002. On trial, 19028.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Mack—10 a. m., chancery motions of course. On hearing, Chapin vs. Chapin.

Judge Honore—10 a. m., chancery motions of course. Trial call, 15, 15291, 21809, 23680, 269642, 22708, 9665, 20707, 156396, 21985, 171, 288973, 18320, 124091, 24015, 24043, 17967, 9085, 184023, 23719, 261628. 2 p. m., set motions.

Judge Walker—10 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 4061, 4204, 4978, 4588, 4600, 17246, 2963, 2181, 3787. On trial, 17805.

Judge Pinckney—At Juvenile court.

Judge Gray—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 17554, 17221, 809, 972, 1023, 1057, 1312, 1410, 1482, 1517, 1528, 1580, 1625, 1665, 1674, 1711, 826. On trial, 16819.

Judge Tuthill—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 18074, 17504, 17522, 17528, 17530, 17550, 17562, 17567, 17578, 17611, 17627, 17639.

Judge Windes—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 2 p. m., 1141, 1085, 2780, 2649, 10729, 11179, 8127. On trial, 2136.

Judge Carpenter—10 a. m., Judge Carpenter will hear Judge Mack's motions and default cases.

Judge Gibbons—9:30 a. m., law motions of course. Trial call, 9267, 12150, 15678, 15717, 14695, 15846, 15865, 15873, 15890, 14178, 284617, 284618, 15960, 16033.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge Rinaker—10 a. m., motions. Set cases, 21881—Straus Bros. vs. C. & N. W. Ry. company. —25501—In re Tobey Adv. agency, vol. assignment.

Judge Pond—10 a. m., on hearing, Lyons special, 2. Set cases—Lyons special, 3; Oak Park special, 180; city special calendar, 171, 32697.

Judge Smiley—10 a. m., support cases.

Judge De Wolf—10 a. m., common law calendar; set cases, 25375, 25324, 24078, 25793.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Cutting—10 a. m., motions in estates of C. F. Becker, David S. Geer, Patrick Buldin, Charles T. Yerkes, and Michael Cerney. 2:15 p. m., in estates of Rebecca Panauca, John J. Lynch, Bartel Martic, Mary J. Meeker, Ossian Guthrie, and Harold Stickney.

Judge Welch—10 a. m., in estates of Peter P. Bealin, Georgiana Spatz, Mateusz Jalowy, Adolph Kaempfe, William T. Fuller, and Herman W. Frank.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

Judge Going—8286, 124644, 16482, 58124, 58129, 58125, 58122, 135297, 135298, 135330, 135331.

Judge Gemmill—39613, 89145, 135821, 137972, 138001, 138003, 138035, 136768, 136769, 137774, 139025, 139044, 39514, 138162, 138609.

Judge Cottrell—39208, 131668, 39186, 132172, 133336, 127145.

Judge Houston—1466, 129348, 132293, 132331.

Judge Wells—33968, 73804, 209080, 131647, 87608, 33680, 1840, 131212, 33148, 31537.

Judge Scovel—27587, 39498, 132867, 132869, 132880, 1474, 1856, 27066, 27508, 27623, 32591, 39236, 39251, 39286, 39287, 39304, 78632, 129636.

Judge Maxwell—108230, 107148, 109047, 108236, 88340, 38637, 84232.

Judge Crowe—129621, 33190, 39227, 39219, 39208, 132091, 1307, 1340, 32476, 33259, 39289, 39414, 27444, 39264, 39271, 39803.

Judge Dicker—Motions of course and contested motions.

Judge Eberhardt—32067, 85035, 86159, 1344, 39081, 35979, 129137, 27568, 79982, 86791, 39013, 35682, 33253, 39238, 39240, 39248, 39278, 1882, 85904, 129870, 27560, 129839, 39266, 39270, 39273, 39276, 39280, 39284, 39285, 96964.

Judge Heap—39223, 32449, 39229, 39235, 32440, 39235, 130719, 130669, 130626, 131941, 132966, 131360, 132976, 136236, 10095, 39206, 39218, 39224, 39237, 132038, 1896, 51070, 69878, 68526, 69088, 71708, 73054.

Judge Uhlir—134412, 133866, 137646, 136260, 134217, 137559, 135650, 136687, 137565, 136711, 135707, 137773, 134956, 136528, 134986, 136541, 135013, 137940, 137956, 135404, 136200, 138014, 137720, 135926, 135235, 135012, 135814, 136682.

Illinois Supreme Court.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Illinois Supreme court proceedings today were as follows:

People ex rel. Deneen vs. Economy Light and Power Co.; motion by appellee for an extension of time to March 20 to file briefs allowed.

People ex rel. Munster vs. Strassheim; motion by relator for writ of habeas corpus denied.

People ex. rel. vs. Amos Jr.; motion by relator for leave to file amended information.

People ex rel. vs. Pattison; motion by relator to fix time for filing evidence, abstracts, and briefs.

People ex rel. vs. Allen; motion by relator for leave to withdraw certain exhibits.

People ex rel Winkler vs. Murphy; motion for writ of habeas corpus.

People ex rel. Chicago Bar association vs. Parker; motion by relator for leave to file information.

People ex rel Chicago Bar association vs. Atkinson; motion by relator for leave to file information.

Boylan vs. Chicago Title and Trust company; motion by defendant to dismiss for want of jurisdiction not entertained.

Reifschneider vs. Reifschneider; motion to vacate order of Feb. 10 and to file reply briefs instanter and submit cause denied.

Goodwillie company vs. Chicago Title and Trust company; submitted on briefs.

Tolman & Co. vs. city of Chicago et al.; submitted on briefs and oral argument by E. M. Ashcroft for appellant.

Prentice et al. vs. Crane; submitted on briefs and oral argument by E. M. Ashcroft for appellant.

Buettner et al. vs. Glos; submitted on briefs.

City of Chicago vs. Kemp et al.; submitted on briefs and oral argument by George A. Mason and William T. Hapeman for appellant and Hugh L. Burnham and J. M. O'Connor for appellee.

Lesher vs. United States Fidelity and Guaranty company; submitted on briefs.

People ex-rel. James vs. Seman, exr.; submitted on briefs.

Henshaw et al. vs. State bank of West Pullman; submitted on briefs and oral argument.

Dunham vs. Black Diamond Coal company; submitted on briefs.

Standard Distilling and Distributing company vs. Springfield Coal Mining and Tile company et al.; submitted on briefs.

Court adjourned to 9 a. m. tomorrow.

On the Trail—

Grand Canyon

of Arizona

The Grand Canyon of Arizona is the most stupendous, most awful, most mysterious, most beautiful, most gigantic, most alluring scene in all the world—and yet a child may enjoy it.

Imagine a gash in the earth's crust, a mile deep, thirteen times as wide, with a river like the Mississippi at the bottom, the space from rim to rim partly filled by huge peaks, eroded in fantastic shapes—all colored like a rainbow.

On the rim a dense pine forest, the air pure and bracing.

And in the Coconino forest, near the gorge's brink, a quarter-of-a-million dollar hotel, El Tovar, as "comfy" as a country club.

You can get there in about two days from Chicago and Kansas City on the luxurious

California Limited

en route to winterless California via the Santa Fe. This train carries a Pullman for the Canyon, and has new equipment this season.

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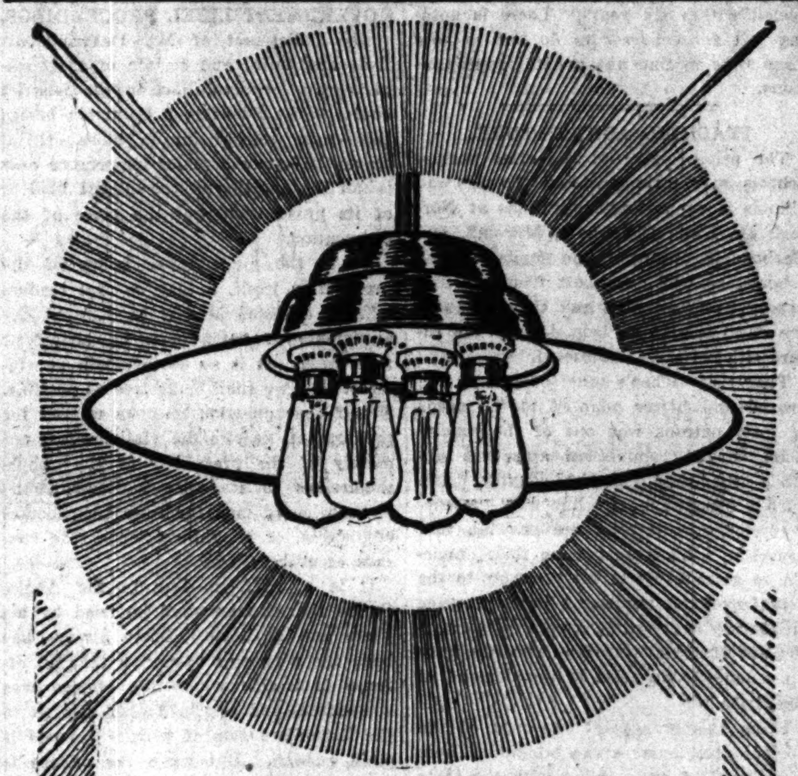

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† 8:05 am / † 8:45 am	Rockford and Freeport / via Elgin	† 7:50 pm / † 8:50 pm
a†9:00 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	* 5:55 pm
* 9:00 am	St. Paul and Minneapolis, Beloit, Janesville, Madison	* 9:45 pm
* 9:00 am	La Crosse, Winona, Minnesota and Dakota	* 9:45 pm
* 9:00 am	Marshfield via Merrillan	* 9:45 pm
† 9:00 am	Rockford via Harvard	† 6:25 pm
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*10:00 am	Denver, Omaha and Council Bluffs	* 9:15 pm
*10:00 am	Cedar Rapids, Des Moines	* 6:45 am
†11:00 am	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	†12:45 pm
†11:30 am	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Wausau, Marshfield	a†11:10pm / k11:15pm
†12:30 pm	Cedar Rapids and intermediate	† 2:10 pm
† 3:00 pm	Milwaukee and Madison	a†11:15am
d*3:00 pm	Milwaukee, Green Bay, Menominee	† 4:00 pm
a†3:00 pm	Milwaukee, Madison	a†5:25 pm
† 4:00 pm	Beloit, Janesville, Madison	†10:00 am
† 4:15 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	* 9:50 am
* 5:00 pm	Milwaukee, Sheboygan, Manitowoc, Appleton Jct., Ashland	* 9:50 am
* 5:00 pm	Oshkosh, [illegible], Marshfield	† 9:00 am
	OVERLAND LIMITED	
* 6:00 pm	Omaha, Sioux City, Ogden, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland	*12:30 pm
b†6:20 pm	Elgin, Rockford, Freeport	† 4:45 pm
* 6:25 pm	Omaha, Nor. Iowa and Dakotas	* 9:15 am
[illegible]	[illegible] Janesville	* 7:35 am
* 8:30 pm	NORTH SHORE SPECIAL Milwaukee and Racine	* 9:15 am
* 8:35 pm	NORTHWESTERN LIMITED St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth	* 8:00 am
* 8:00 pm	Milwaukee, Houghton, Marquette	* 7:25 am
* 8:00 pm	Sault Ste. Marie (Through Sleeper)	† 7:25 am
* 8:45 pm	La Crosse, Winona, Minnesota, Dakota and the Black Hills	* 7:10 am
	LOS ANGELES LIMITED	
*10:00 pm	Omaha, Salt Lake, Los Angeles	*11:30 am
*10:00 pm	Cedar Rapids and Des Moines	* 8:20 am
*10:00 pm	St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth	* 6:30 am
*10:00 pm	Milwaukee, Green Bay	* 7:25 am
†10:30 pm	Escanaba	* 7:25 am
*10:45 pm	Omaha, Sioux City, Black Hills, Denver, Salt Lake, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland	* 8:00 am
†10:45 pm	Northern Iowa and So. Dakota	† 8:45 am
† 2:45 am	Milwaukee, Ashland, Marquette, Wausau, Marshfield, Grand Rapids	a†9:50 pm
* 3:00 am	Beloit, Janesville, Madison, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Superior and Duluth	* 11:55 am
† 3:00 am	La Crosse and Winona	† 8:25 pm

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* 7:00 pm	Birmingham and Jacksonville (sleeping cars only)	*10:30 am
* 5:00 pm	N. Orleans, Memphis, H. Spgs., Jacksonville, Birm'gham (coaches only)	* 1:05 pm
*10:02 am / *10:15 pm	St. Louis & Springfield—Daylight Special / Diamond Special	* 7:28 pm / * 7:27 am
† 8:15 am	Cairo Local	† 5:20 pm
* 2:50 am	Southern Fast Mail	
* 2:50 am	Evansville	* 6:20 am
† 3:30 pm	Mattoon, Decatur, Carb'dale	† 1:05 pm
† 8:15 am	Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 5:20 pm
† 5:10 pm	Bloomington & Chatsworth	† 9:50 am
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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1909.

YES, there is such a thing as a February thaw.

BE not deceived, brethren. There will be more snow.

LET us be just to Geronimo. He was the worst old Injun that ever happened.

IN the slow, dignified process of electing a United States senator the Illinois legislature has got as far as ballot No. 34.

WOMEN who wear high heeled shoes cannot collect damages if they fall and hurt themselves while stepping off a street car. This bit of information comes straight from a court in Newark, N. J.

CANADA, the United States, and Mexico are preparing to do what they can to make North America worth saving to posterity.

THERE have been no fatalities at Springfield thus far, except that time has been killed.

A TAX van, being an insensate thing of wood and metal, will not listen to reason when it backs up in front of the premises of a persistent delinquent.

FROM the special 188 page edition of the Seattle Times of last Sunday it is reasonable to infer that the Seattlers expect their exposition this year to be the most stupendous thing that ever spread itself west of the Rockies.

THE evidence in the Carmack case appears to show conclusively that Mr. Carmack was killed, and that it wasn't an accident.

WHEN the cement age really arrives it will be ushered in, doubtless, by a general reduction in the rates of fire insurance.

BETWEEN now and March 4 there will be time for Senator Foraker to liberate a few more struggling thoughts on the general subject of Brownsville.

CERTAIN persons are doomed to disappointment if they think the board of education is going to fill Mr. Cooley's place with some educator as unlike him as possible.

PRESIDENT PULLIAM cannot be expected to attend every meeting of the "magnates." He is conserving his natural resources.

FEW observers are optimistic enough to hope for anything comforting from ballot No. 35.

"ONLY sixteen days more," says an unregenerate contemporary, "before the emancipation of the American people from one of the cruelest reigns of tyranny that has ever been known in the history of this blessed nation!" We indignantly protest, in the name of the late Lindley Murray.

IT is suggested that a portion of Alaska be set apart as a perpetual preserve for the woolly yak. If there be no objection on the part of Alaska or of the woolly yak, let it be so ordered.

IT is said that Mr. Bryan's receipts from his lectures this year will be $100,000. Imagination falters in trying to estimate his income for 1913.

FURTHER trouble among the baseball bosses may develop another pugilistic champion.

WHICH reminds us that Prof. Jim Jeffries has not yet begun the publication of his autobiography.

IS IT not a pity that the Coliseum is built of stone, brick, and steel, instead of cement?

MORE earthquakes are predicted; also more tornadoes, fires, mine horrors, steamship disasters, and Fourth of July celebrations.

WHAT will the professional pessimists and knockers do when the Panama canal is finished?

WHO is there to mourn for Geronimo?

STARVED ROCK PARK.

The Geographic society is about ready with its report on the preservation of Starved Rock and its immediate environs. The first thought of saving the historic spot has been broadened under careful consideration. The new plan proposes the creation of a state park of 200 acres, to include Starved Rock, Lovers' Leap, Little Starved Rock, the Wildcat, Horseshoe, and perhaps the Shabbona's Cave cañons. Some of the uncultivated islands in the river and other places covered with great forest trees are to be saved if possible.

The plan deserves the serious attention of the legislature. Other states and the national government have shown much interest in the preservation of such places of historic importance and natural beauty. Illinois is singularly devoid of possessions that appeal to the sentimental side of human nature. In all probability the Illinois river is to become a highway of commerce, with its attendant manufactories. Now is the time to save for coming generations one of the most romantic places in the west, a place closely associated with the early history of the Illinois country.

VOTE THE MONEY.

The engineers who have just visited the isthmus and inspected the canal estimate that it will cost about $360,000,000 when completed in accordance with present plans. That is much higher than the original estimate, but the public will be indifferent as to the matter of cost. The stability and safety of the kind of canal that is being constructed are what interests them. They do not wish the United States to become the laughing stock of the world through a huge engineering fiasco.

The detailed report of the engineers removes all apprehensions on that score. Some engineers, while preferring a lock to a sea level canal, have questioned the stability of the great Gatun dam, which is a conspicuous features of the plan Col. Goethals is working under. If it were to give way the canal would be put out of commission for years. The experts whose report has been sent to congress pronounce the dam with its locks and other appurtenances "feasible and safe." They do not say that because they wish to oblige the president. They do not say it because of any opinions as to the type of canal they have expressed in the past. They put on record their sober and deliberate judgment.

There are eminent engineers at home and abroad who believe that a sea level canal is preferable, in spite of the fact that it will consume more time and money than a lock canal. They are entitled to their opinions, and have a right to express them in the future as in the past. But congress in the light of all the facts that are before it should look on the question of the kind of canal that should be built as settled. Senators or representatives who argue now in favor of a radical change in plans are fairly open to the charge of being against the building of any canal.

The work thus far has been honestly and well done. There will be no change as regards future work. The present plan of construction has the unqualified approval of men high in their profession. If it is adhered to the canal can be completed within six years. There is nothing left for congress to do but to vote from time to time the needful appropriations.

TEACHING AGRICULTURE.

The prime object of the state normal schools is to train teachers. To this end Illinois is supporting institutions at Normal, De Kalb, Charleston, Macomb, and Carbondale. Many of the pupils of these schools, as well as a host from the university at Champaign and Urbana, go to the rural schools to help develop the future citizens there instructed.

That these schools must be greatly improved and better adapted to the needs of their patrons was one of the conclusions of the commission appointed to study the conditions of country life. Such a conclusion is in line with the current conviction everywhere growing that American schools must shape their curricula so as to conform more closely to the actual needs of pupils. A better average citizenship rather than greater opportunities for the relatively few who can have an extended education is the demand of the times.

From this standpoint the plea of the normal presidents carries weight. There is no need of any conflict with the state university. That ought to remain the center for instruction in agriculture. Its school of agriculture should be fostered until it is surpassed by none in the land. But there is abundant opportunity for the normal schools to perform a useful service to the state in training teachers who will be able to improve the work of the country schools by arousing interest in matters of vital concern to the pupils.

Courses in agriculture, thus given under state encouragement, might be made of value, too, to many who are not able to attend the University of Illinois to gain the advantages it offers. The normal schools are well distributed geographically for meeting the needs of a large number of pupils. It goes without saying that if this instruction of others than intending teachers is undertaken, there should be the utmost harmony with the ideals of the state university. Duplication of equipment and effort is undesirable. But some sort of training in agriculture might well be given with profit at the several normal schools.

WHAT ARE THE FACTS?

Representative Tippit's resolution demanding of judges a report of business in compliance with the constitution is opportune. When bills for more judges are pending it is relevant to inquire not only if they are needed but why. There seems to be no such thing as legal statistics, except in our admirably administered Municipal court, and though there seems to be a consensus of opinion that the administration of our courts is unsatisfactory, there are no comprehensive, definite data to support it.

This is deplorable not merely because it shows indifference in our courts to a plain requirement of the fundamental law they are sworn to defend and apply but because the keeping of full and accurate accounts as business done would stir the judges from their present inertia respecting administrative reform as well as supply the information necessary to wise amendment.

As THE TRIBUNE said in its editorial of yesterday, nisi prius judges are not to blame for their reluctance to intervene in the proceedings before them to accelerate movement so long as courts of review hold the nisi prius courts to the strictest accounting in the minutiæ of mere procedure. We believe trial judges would be glad to be relieved of their present virtual impotence as to the machinery of trial, would be glad to be something more than mere referees, and we believe that whatever reports these judges make of the amount of business done by them should be considered in the light of the serious limitations our technical system places upon their efficiency.

Meanwhile, apropos of the very large addition to the Cook county bench provided in the Church bill—eight new judges for the Circuit court and four for the Superior—the fact seems to be that both these courts are making headway and are now less than half a year behind. Have the proponents of the call for more judges definitely considered the rate of gain upon the calendars made in the last year or two and the actual position of the two courts at the present time?

READ, AND TAKE HEED.

One of the personal property tax delinquents who was visited this week by a deputy collector and his capacious "tax van" used unbecoming and untruthful language. He said his 1908 taxes were not due, and that the attempt to collect them was a "holdup." The tax was due the day the collector got the tax books. As regards the method of collection, the revenue law says that if any person, company, or corporation shall refuse to pay personal property taxes "when demanded it shall be the duty of the collector to levy the same, together with the costs and other charges that may accrue, by distress and sale of the personal property of the person, company, or corporation who ought to pay the same." If no personal property can be found the real estate of the delinquent, if he have any, can be sold after judgment to satisfy the claim against him.

Many persons have evaded payment of personal taxes by getting a judge to enjoin collection. Judges, while protecting the rights of individuals, should not permit the interests of the public to suffer. The schools, the city, the county which pays the judges their salaries, are entitled to the prompt collection of every dollar that is due them. When a judge is applied to by a taxfighter for an injunction he should make the case a subject of immediate inquiry and refuse to allow it to drag along for months or years. Peremptory orders should also be given to the legal representatives of the county by the county board to insist on the immediate hearing and disposal of all applications for injunctions in tax cases.

GOVERNMENT LIBEL PROCEEDINGS.

The indictment of Mr. Pulitzer, Mr. Delavan Smith, and certain of their employés for criminal libel in the District court of the District of Columbia brings this cause célèbre into a more critical stage. What is of chief importance now is not the question of the alleged libel or of its prosecution but the place of the prosecution.

As to the propriety or policy of the prosecution itself, it may be that readers will be disposed heavily to discount the arguments of newspapers on behalf of free press. It is so obviously in our interest that we shall be as free as possible. Yet if that question may be waived for the present, despite the vital interest not merely of the press but of the people themselves in its wise settlement, the prosecution of men far from their homes challenges, or should challenge, the concern of every citizen.

It is a privilege dear to the Anglo-Saxon that a man shall be tried by his peers and at home. There always has been the necessary exception that an offense is triable where the offense was committed, and the justice of this as to the immediate acts of private persons is plain enough. But when the offense is publication, that is, dissemination or distribution of printed matter, a special construction is necessary.

The late Charles A. Dana was the object of an attempt similar to the present proceeding against Mr. Pulitzer and Mr. Smith, and it was sought by the government to bring him to Washington by process. The attempt failed, as it is to be hoped the present attempt will fail. This is not to condone the offense of criminal libel, that unendurable tyranny which is the irresponsible or deliberate publication of injurious rumor. But since the offense alleged was committed in New York and in Indianapolis, the alleged offenders should be tried there by their neighbors and not haled away to answer among strangers.

The Panama canard was a disgusting performance. But it probably injured no one's credit in the public mind save that of the men who were gulled or willing to gull by it. The use made by the World of its shady material was especially unworthy of the World's position among American journals.

IN A MINOR KEY.

Unequal Distribution.

The head waiter at the banquet was in a towering rage.

"They paid that word slinger $50 for half an hour's talk," he fumed; "and all I got was $6.95, mostly in nickels!"

His Usual Resource.

The Muntoburns, who had been invited to the fashionable wedding, were late in arriving.

"I am sorry," said the usher at the door, "but every seat in the church is taken."

"That means, of course," irritably answered Mr. Muntoburn, "that I've got to hustle out and buy five tickets from some scalper!"

Taking No Liberties with History.

"I think, Lycurgus," said the young professor's wife, as she leaned fondly over the cradle of their first born, "we'll have to name him after you."

"Yes," responded the young professor, "about 200 years after me. His name, my dear, will be Solon."

Deep Sea Amenities.

The shark was reviling the skate.

"You're such a cheap one!" said the shark.

"Worse than that," sighed the skate. "I've even been accused of being a distant relative of yours."

Which the listening lobsters, being merely lobsters, considered fairly good repartee for that locality.

Contributed Spasm.

Heney, meney, miney, mo!
Has grafty Frisco by the toe.
Hit 'em hard, both high and low—
Heney, meney, miney, mo!

Charming Frankness.

"Myrtle, is your mother opposed to my coming to see you?"

"No, Percy; since I told her there was no—er—likelihood of your ever proposing to me she has withdrawn her objections."

C. W. T.

MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

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LORD DOURO'S engagement to Miss Maud Coats, which has just been announced, is a source of general satisfaction, in spite of the unpopularity of the marquis. For the idea of the future duke of Wellington being in straitened circumstances, and perhaps compelled to resort to the sale of his name to wildcat promoters in the city for use as a bait to investors on the prospectuses of their questionable enterprises, would have offended the sense of propriety of patriotic Britons, and the possibility of a title so honored as that first bestowed upon the victor of Waterloo, being dragged through the courts in connection with bankruptcy proceedings and charges of fraud was not a pleasant one to contemplate.

True, the nation was extremely liberal in its grants to the first duke of Wellington of money wherewith to maintain his dignities, and in view of these gifts, amounting to near $5,000,000, limited the state annuity of $20,000 to three lives, whereas the annuity voted by parliament in recognition of Nelson's victory of Trafalgar amounted to $25,000 a year, and is to be continued as long as there is an Earl Nelson to receive it. The Iron Duke, however, was unfortunate in his investments, and the consequence was that his successors have felt the pinch of financial stringency. His eldest son and successor, the second duke, was rendered so "close" thereby that when he gave his obligatory entertainments at Apsley house at a fixed price of so much per head for his guests, he was wont to stand at the head of the stairs, a small and shrunken figure, a few feet distant from his stately, handsome wife, keeping tab with a pencil and pad of all those who came so that no mistake might be made in the number of those for whose supper he would subsequently be compelled to pay the caterer.

His nephew, the third, duke of Wellington, son of Lord Charles Wellesley, lived an extremely retired life, partly owing to his relative poverty and partly, too, in consequence of his phenomenal obesity, which, developing early in life, had caused him when a young subaltern of the guards to be nicknamed "Spurgeon."

His younger brother, the present duke, is as thin as he was fat, and though he does not any longer enjoy an annuity from the British government has about as much money as the late duke, thanks to the property which he inherited from his mother, the late Lady Charles Wellesley, who was a Pierrepont by birth. He has, however, five children. It was imperative, therefore, that they should marry money. The second son, Lord Richard, an officer of the Grenadier Guards, married a year ago Miss Nesta Fitzgerald, only daughter of the knight of Glin, and one of the heiresses of the immense fortune of her grandfather, the late Henry Bischoffsheim, the Anglo-Viennese Hebrew banker. Lord Richard's elder brother, the marquis of Douro, is now marrying Miss Maud Coats, whose father is a multi-millionaire of humble extraction. For his father commenced life as an artisan.

I learn that George Coats assumed an independent attitude with regard to the marriage, and would not consent to accept Lord Douro as a son-in-law before he had been subjected to a period of strict probation. For Lord Douro has been, to say the least, extremely indiscreet, and it was indiscretion of a character that did not commend itself to his fellow officers of the Grenadier Guards that caused them to subject him to a mock court martial and to a severe "ragging" by way of teaching him better manners. Instead of taking his punishment quietly he complained to his mother, the duchess, who forthwith made an affair of state of the incident, and complained vehemently, seeking in the first place the intervention of the wife of Lord Roberts, at that time commander-in-chief of the army.

The matter became public property and the subject of an unpleasant discussion in the house of commons and in the press, with the result that Col. Kinloch, one of the most popular battalion commanders of the brigade of guards, was placed on the retired list for having permitted hazing in his regiment. After this, of course, life in the latter became intolerable for Lord Douro, and he had no alternative but to resign.

Naturally the odium which he brought upon himself will take a long time to live down, and although six years have elapsed since then he has been unable to secure admission to any of the leading London clubs. He was educated at Eton, and at Trinity, Cambridge, served in the Transvaal war with his regiment, and was likewise A. D. C. to Lord Ranfurly when the latter was governor of New Zealand. The second and third dukes of Wellington having died without issue he is the second member of his family to bear the title of marquis of Douro, which is regarded by many as in a measure hoodooed. For the eldest son of the Iron Duke was as marquis of Douro extremely unpopular in the army and in society, an object of aversion to his father, and the hero of all sorts of sensational scandals, the most notable of which, at Constantinople, culminated in a tragedy that affected his entire subsequent career.

At one time it was believed that the present Lord Douro would seek the hand of some American heiress, and the names of several of the latter were mentioned in connection with matrimonial projects, a fact which served to recall that the eldest brother of the first duke of Wellington, that is to say, the marquis of Wellesley, was the first English peer to marry an American girl in the person of the widowed Mrs. Robert Patterson of Baltimore, daughter of Richard Caton of Philadelphia and sister-in-law of that Elizabeth Patterson who was the first wife of King Jerome Bonaparte of Westphalia and grandmother of the present attorney general of the United States.

Among the titles to which Lord Douro will succeed on his father's death is the earldom of Mornington. The first earl of Mornington was the father of the great duke of Wellington, the second was the marquis of Wellesley, governor general of India and viceroy of Ireland, whom I mentioned above as having married the widowed Mrs. Robert Patterson of Baltimore, while the third was his younger brother, William Wellesley. The latter's son, fourth earl of Mornington, was often described by his uncle, the great duke of Wellington, as the curse of the family and as his particular bête noir. He succeeded at the age of 24 in winning the hand of Catherine Long, elder sister of Sir James Tylney Long, and heiress to his estates, valued at $200,000 a year, and to a sum in cash amounting to a couple of million dollars. In fact, she was accounted at the time of her marriage in 1812 as the greatest heiress of her day. The early years of their married life were spent at Wanstead hall, a palace on the borders of Epping forest, which was said to have had but one equal in England—namely: Blenheim—but of which today not one stone upon another is left.

For ten years they lived happily, and three children were born to them. How the change came is not definitely known, for the person most deeply concerned, the plundered heiress and the neglected wife, kept her own counsel. What is known is that night after night when the mistress of the house lay dying reveling went on till early in the morning at the great house, and if the awful stories of the villagers of Wanstead and Leyton are to be believed not even the entertainments of the infamous Hell Fire club at Medmenham Abbey approached in wickedness what took place at Wanstead hall. At last the inevitable crash came. The wealth of the old Wiltshire house of Tylney Long, of which the Rt. Hon. Walter Long is one of the representatives today, could not stand the perpetual drain upon it. Its owner was obliged to leave England and revenged himself by selling it to a Norwich builder on the condition that every vestige of the magnificent fabric above ground should be cleared away within twelve months.

After the death of his wife he went on from bad to worse, and behaved so shockingly, was to such an extent an outcast, that a family council of the members of the house of Wellesley decided that he was unfit to be trusted with the care of his own sons. This opinion was approved by the courts, and at the instance of the great duke of Wellington the sons were made wards in chancery.

He was succeeded in the earldom of Mornington by his elder son, who had long before cast him off, and who himself died without issue in Paris in 1863, when the earldom of Mornington passed to his cousin, the second duke of Wellington.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

[No communications unaccompanied by the name and address of the writer—which will not be published if not desired—will appear. Communications for this department must not exceed 300 words.—Ed. Tribune.]

Advice to Investors of Capital.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In reviewing the conditions of several large enterprises which have placed their management in an unenviable light through false accounting of their financial conditions and operative results, I can hardly realize the blind confidence that capital seems to place in their uncertified balance sheets and statements of earnings.

Investors and stockholders should require a rigorous investigation at regular periods of the transactions of every enterprise that is supported by their capital and their credit. Not only should this search and report be made by a public accountant, for the reason that he is by study and experience better equipped mentally for this work, but from the fact that his investigations are not biased by a pecuniary interest to inflate values or to ignore liabilities.

The saving to investors amounts yearly to millions of dollars through the services of competent, independent accountants, whose professional existence as well as their honor guarantees the integrity of their reports.

CHARLES F. WILLIAMS.

Wants Tariff on Wool Retained.

Niles, Mich., Feb. 17.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—Your paper of Feb. 15 says it is time to remove the tariff on wool. Have you forgotten what the conditions were in this country when there was not tariff that really protected the wool industry? Farmers and stock men who drove their sheep to market and sold them for $1 to $1.25 per head will not so soon forget. Hay was left standing in the fields, as it did not pay to employ laborers to cut it for the sheep. The laborer in the country could not buy clothing, no matter how cheap, from the fact he could not find employment. Yet you advise removing the tariff so the laboring man can buy cheaper clothing.

Suppose your idea was correct; what stock would you recommend for farmers to raise in place of sheep, which would practically be driven out by a reduction of the tariff? A majority of the states of the United States are snow and ice bound states six months of the year. No stock is so well adapted to a cold climate as sheep. If your views and the ideas of the Democratic party governed there would not be left in the United States one sheep where today there is a hundred.

If your views on the tariff had remained in force since Cleveland's administration to the present time the United States, instead of being able to build and send a fleet of sixteen battleships around the world would not have been able to build one.

I. BARNES.

Farmers Defended by a Farmer.

Dwight, Ill., Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—I read with indignation "X Ray's" letter opposing rural free delivery and the parcels post, and I as a farmer would like to say a few words in behalf of my farmer brothers.

"X Ray" evidently is a backwoodsman and never saw a great and beautiful farming country, or he would not ask the question, "What does the farmer do for Uncle Sam?" The farmer made this great and beautiful country what it is today. The farmer is the primary producer of wealth and the greatest consumer of the products of our factories. He feeds the world. Let the farmer quit and all business enterprises would soon die. Is this not enough to entitle the farmer to all the good things Uncle Sam can give him?

The "crossroads storekeeper" always buys in the cheapest market, and the farmer certainly has the same privilege. Give us the parcels post, and the sooner the better.

A FARMER.

Disputes the Darwin Theory.

Dillon, Ia., Feb. 16.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—In an eulogy of Charles Darwin, THE TRIBUNE of Feb. 10 said:

"That the animals and plants today, man included, are descended from the animals and plants of earlier periods by natural lines of descent with natural modifications, due to innate and external causes, is one of the certainties of modern science."

This assertion that the evolution theory of Darwin, or of Herder, the ecclesiast and philosopher, the friend of Goethe and Schiller, in whose eyes man was no more than the brother of the animals, has gained a complete victory, seems to me to be disputable.

On the creation of man according to God's image in holiness and righteousness rests the responsibility of man to God's law. If man is an ape, the morals of an ape can only be required of him.

A CITIZEN.

Opposed to Capital Punishment.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—[Editor of The Tribune.]—The efforts of Representative Ton to abolish capital punishment should not be "turned down." They are not "maudlin, sentimental freakishness, nor absurd views of crime," as A. J. P. calls them.

The advocate of capital punishment is not worthy to be trusted with the reins of government nor to have the control or care of human beings, as evidenced in the present Russian officials, who execute thousands each year because they are opposed to the government. This cry of "blood for blood" is what keeps up the feuds in the south. It makes crime and criminals. The states of Michigan, Wisconsin, Maine, and others have long since abolished capital punishment and are the better for it.

The greatest minds of the world have and are opposed to capital punishment. The moral law opposes it, Christianity and the constitution of our country oppose it.

EDWARD MILLS JOHN.

"THIS IS MY BIRTHDAY."
—Shakspeare.

Conspicuous among those who will celebrate their birthday anniversary today is Adelina Patti, the famous opera singer, who formed the "farewell appearance" habit long ago. Usually it is not easy to ascertain a woman's age, and not polite to tell it, if you do find out. But it is violating no secret to say that Patti is 66.

Henry H. Honoré, father of Mrs. Potter Palmer and of Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, is 85 today. He came from Kentucky in 1853, became interested in real estate and building, and also in the organization and completion of the park systems, especially that on the south side.

Henry A. Cole, wholesale commission merchant who came from Massachusetts and is interested in politics and church work, is 49. He resides at 234 North Kenilworth avenue, Oak Park.

Dr. Thomas L. Gilmer, surgical authority at Northwestern university and St. Luke's hospital, is 60 today. He resides at 3220 Lake Park avenue.

Dr. Milton B. Blouke, a native of Pennsylvania who resides at 1222 Washington boulevard, is 47.

Chester C. Broomell of Austin, who now is a real estate dealer and formerly was a member of the night force of the public library, is 47.

Dr. James P. Buck, who served in the Servian army against Roumania, in spite of the fact that he is a native of Pennsylvania, is 54. He resides at 413 La Salle avenue.

De Witt S. Tanner, formerly a practicing lawyer in Chicago and now in New York, connected with the Western Electric company, is 32 today.

August Ziesing, who is a graduate of the University of Illinois, a civil engineer, and is vice president and general manager of the American Bridge company, will celebrate his fifty-first birthday anniversary in Pittsburg. His residence is Glencoe.

Herman Grossman, president of the Chicago Cloak company and the United States Restaurant company, and living at 3924 Grand boulevard, will celebrate his forty-seventh birthday today.

Ben F. Homer at 75 can look back on varied experiences as a teacher in public schools, as a farmer, and as a druggist, is president of the Hodge & Homer company, dealers in hardware. He is a prominent Congregationalist.

William M. Johnston of River Forest, who was born in Scotland, came to this country when he was 7 years of age. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan, has engaged in the practice of law, and is 70.

Charles T. Milligan, who comes from Ohio, and is the proprietor of the Victoria hotel, is 54.

WE ARE CRAZY OVER CULTS, DECLARES BISHOP RHODE.

Asserts Americans No Longer Are True to Old Religious Faiths, but Seek New Dogmas.

That the people of America no longer are true to the old religious faiths but are seeking new theories and dogmas was declared last night by Bishop Paul Rhode in an address at the fourteenth annual banquet of the St. Ignatius Alumni association at the Great Northern hotel.

Bishop Rhode said the spirit of liberalism seemed to have fastened its tentacles on the thoughts of the people and that high license was the direct result.

"Men seem to be crazy in their acceptance of new fangled theories," he declared. "Every day we read about some new cult, some new dogma, some startling theory. People who adopt these new things think all else is rubbish. It seems they no longer look up to God.

"Men have not lost their faith altogether; but faith no longer seeks its proper objects. The new faith is satisfied with plausible theories and fallacies. We must recognize our duties in the world. Let us be true to traditions, to the teachings of our fathers."

George T. Mulligan was toastmaster. Among others who spoke were Edgar J. Cook, William H. Brown, the Rev. John J. Code, and Byron D. Kanaley.

PLANS FOR FUTURE STRUGGLE SHOWN BY ILLINOIS MINERS.

President Walker Addresses Delegates as to Contest Ahead—Ideas as to Payment of Delegates Adopted.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Additional evidence that the United Mineworkers of Illinois are preparing for a future struggle with the operators developed today in the annual convention when the question of salary for delegates was brought up for discussion. The debate was becoming heated when President John Walker called Vice President Farrington to the chair, and, taking the floor, addressed the delegates.

"We are laying plans for a gigantic struggle to come," declared President Walker, "and this wrangle is in a manner unpatriotic to our cause. I move that the delegates to this convention be paid out of the state treasury of the organization, in lieu of the fact that many of the local unions are broke, and that $1.50 a day be allowed all delegates representing unions of 500 or less and that they be allowed $2 a day as salary, and that delegates representing unions of more than 500 membership shall be paid proportionately."

The appeal and motion of President Walker carried.

CONTRACTS FOR LUMBER LET.

Bids Submitted to the City Give Evidence of Having Been Figured Carefully.

For the first time since the paving contract scandal, Commissioner of Public Works Hanberg let contracts yesterday. These contracts are for the city lumber supply for the coming year, and there are evidences that they have been figured carefully.

A new firm appears among the successful bidders, the H. H. Hettler Lumber company, which was awarded the contract to supply the sewer department with hemlock. The amount named is $1,627.

The other items for the sewer department are: Pine, $2,371, to the Edward Hines Lumber company; oak, to the John E. Burns Lumber company, $2,630.

For the bridge department the following contracts were let: White pine, $3,760, and oak, $10,000, to the Edward Hines Lumber company; yellow pine, to Thornton, Claney & Co., $3,363.

For the engineering department the following contracts were let: White pine, $1,507, and hemlock, $2,900, to the Edward Hines company; oak, $6,600; yellow pine, $2,700; fir, $1,400; lath and shingles, $557, to the Burns Lumber company. These bids were advertised about Dec. 1 and opened on Dec. 30.

N. E. A. SUPERINTENDENTS BUSY

Discussions, Papers, and Round Tables Outlined for Three Days' Session in Chicago.

The department of superintendence of the National Education association will hold its annual meeting in Chicago, lasting three days, beginning on Tuesday, Feb. 23.

The headquarters will be in the Auditorium hotel, but the general sessions will be held in Music hall of the Fine Arts building.

The sessions will be opened Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, at which Otto C. Schneider, president of the Chicago board of education, will give the address of welcome. The general topic to be discussed at this session will be "The Elimination of Waste in School Work."

The second day's session will be opened with the topic "The Schools in Relation to Character Building" to be discussed.

"Industrial Education" will be the topic discussed in the afternoon.

Round tables will be held on Thursday, which will be the meetings of state, county, and city superintendents.

THINKS MILLENNIUM IS NEAR.

Thornton Chase, in Address to University Students, Predicts the Early Coming of Universal Peace.

"The millennium is at our door. The golden age of man will soon be here, when all will recognize their fellowmen as neighbors and international brotherhood accompanied by universal peace shall reign."

So Thornton Chase of the Union Mutual Life Insurance company declared last night in an address delivered before the International club of University of Chicago students at the Reynolds club.

He predicted the downfall of nationalism and the substitution of internationalism. He declared the nations were coming to see that universal peace is the most profitable condition for all, that battleships are signs of foolishly spent wealth, and war a deed of inhumanity against human beings.

"It is written large in the books of authority," said Mr. Chase, "that peace is to be the universal condition of the world in the not far distant future."

MAKES PLEA FOR PATRIOTISM.

Attorney Harry Atwood Urges Klio Association Members to Honor Washington and McKinley.

"The anniversaries of the birth of Washington, Lincoln, and McKinley, coming so close together, should be to our patriotism what the anniversary of Christ's birth is to our religion," said Assistant District Attorney Harry Atwood last evening at a "patriotic day" meeting of the Klio association.

"These three lives should inspire us with a deeper reverence for the things that have made our nation what it is. The nation paused last week to honor Lincoln. Let it not forget also to reverence Washington and McKinley."

Robert Armstrong, former secretary of the treasury, addressed the meeting on "Washington."

WOULD ENFORCE SPIRIT OF LAW.

Supt. Whitman of House of Correction Says Judges Tend to Forget the Needs of Each Case.

"If our judges paid more attention to carrying out the spirit of the law there would be fewer criminals" was the assertion made yesterday by John L. Whitman, superintendent of the house of correction, to the board of trustees of the Chicago Refuge for Girls.

Mr. Whitman declared each case needed different treatment and that it was the tendency of judges to forget this fact.

The board elected Mrs. L. B. Dowd president, Mrs. Gilbert B. Shaw secretary, and Mrs. E. F. Boler treasurer for the coming year.

MORE WOMEN ACCEPT JAIL

Suffragettes Choose Imprisonment Rather than Pay Fines.

POLICE BREAK UP PARADE.

Marchers Return to Hall and Plan Fate of Cabinet.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Twice today the suffragettes representing the Women's Freedom league failed to reach Premier Asquith to present to him the resolution adopted by that body for a continuation of the militant propaganda for suffrage.

Sixty or more "volunteers for dangerous duty" came into conflict with the police this morning in Downing street, where squads of police, mounted and on foot, had been drawn up, and the clash resulted in the rough handling of many women and the arrest of twenty-four of them.

Again tonight when the session of parliament was well under way a contingent led by Mrs. Despard attempted to gain access to the premier, but the police barred the way. The women refused to budge, insisting upon their right to enter the building, although no serious disturbance occurred.

Finally Mrs. Despard and several of the others were placed under arrest. Together with sixteen of those who had been remanded at the Bow street police court late in the afternoon Mrs. Despard and her companions at arms will be arraigned tomorrow.

Eight Sent to Prison.

Eight women were fined today, but they refused to pay and were sent to prison for terms ranging from two weeks to a month. Most of the women engaged in the disturbances were from Glasgow, Manchester, Birmingham, and elsewhere in the provinces. With the exception of Mrs. Despard those prominent in the suffrage movement held themselves aloof, but as it is the expressed intention of the women to continue their campaign without intermission the leaders are likely to be heard from at any moment.

They declare that they will not yield in their set determination to exhaust every means to compel the government to concede to their demands.

The demonstrations so far have been less riotous and briefer than some of those on former occasions, because nowadays the police are always well prepared, but it is evident that the authorities are becoming tired of these affairs, and they show less patience and forbearance in dealing with the recalcitrants.

Drive Up in Taxicab.

Tonight's demonstration, however, was of a comparatively orderly and quiet character. Mrs. Despard, with a companion, both in evening attire, drove to the house of commons in a taxicab.

Mrs. Despard asked the police inspector to be allowed to carry the resolution to Premier Asquith. The inspector politely advised her to send it by mail. He also offered to take it in himself, but Mrs. Despard insisted upon a personal interview.

In the meantime a number of other suffragettes arrived upon the scene, and, as the chief delegate refused to depart, she was, with several others, who were attempting in a mild way to force their way in, arrested and charged with obstructing the police in the execution of their duty.

Police Break Up Procession.

This morning they first attempted to march in procession, but their line being broken up by the police, they mingled with a crowd of the curious who had gathered to witness the scene and sauntered singly toward Downing street.

The police, however, had completely blocked all entrances to the thoroughfare and twenty of the more militant suffragettes, who tried to break through the lines, were arrested, charged with interfering with the police.

For a time there was a scene of great disorder, women time and again throwing themselves valiantly against the double line of police only to be forced back, or, if they were unusually persistent, to be handed over to constables, who marched them off to the police station amid cheers, hoots, and hisses from the throng. Several women actually used their fists on the policemen.

The police finally cleared the street and the women who were not arrested returned to their hall, where they were addressed by leaders.

Awful Fate Awaits Cabinet.

Miss Muriel Matters, who on Tuesday went up in the air in a balloon in an effort to throw down tracts while the king was opening parliament, then made a breezy speech in which she declared that the government need not be afraid of bombs, as some "idiotic politicians" had suggested.

"We women do not intend to make martyrs of the members of the cabinet," Miss Matters said. "We simply are going to make them look like a set of driveling idiots."

ROOSEVELT ROMAN HONOR OFF.

Eternal City's Mayor Recedes from Plan to Confer Citizenship Because of Aid to Quake Victims.

ROME, Feb. 18.—The mayor of Rome, Sig. Nathan, has decided not to carry out the proposal to confer upon Theodore Roosevelt the citizenship of Rome during his brief stay in Italy on his way to East Africa.

It was planned to confer this honor upon Mr. Roosevelt as a recognition of the generosity of the United States towards the earthquake sufferers, but Sig. Nathan believes that when all nations did everything in their power to help the needy, no distinction should be made.

Should Mr. Roosevelt consent to deliver a lecture in Rome Sig. Nathan would gladly place at his disposal a befitting hall.

BROTHER OF SHAH KIDNAPED?

London Report Says So and That Revolutionists Have Demanded Five Thousand Dollars Ransom.

[BY CABLE TO THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Teheran correspondent of the Times says revolutionists have kidnaped Shua Es Sultaneh, the shah's brother, who arrived at Resht from Europe last Tuesday, and have demanded $5,000 ransom.

INDICTED NEWSPAPER MEN MUST APPEAR IN WASHINGTON.

District Attorney Baker Says No Difficulty Will Be Experienced in Securing Their Attendance.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—District Attorney Baker, in a statement today said no difficulty would be experienced in securing the attendance in this city of Joseph Pulitzer and other officials of the New York World and Messrs. Smith and Williams of the Indianapolis News, who were indicted here yesterday for the alleged criminal libeling of President Roosevelt, President Elect Taft, Senator Elect Root, J. P. Morgan, William N. Cromwell, C. P. Taft, and Douglas Robinson.

"This is no new proceedings," said Mr. Baker. "A great deal has been said about the Dana case and about common law offenses not being removable. The Dana case, however, no longer is authority for the removal of persons charged with common law offenses, both because it has been overruled and because the offense of libel now is punishable by a statute of the District of Columbia."

News Not to Change Policy.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 18.—The News publishes the following statement concerning the Panama canal indictments:

"The issue presented by the indictments is, of course, one for the courts. In regard to that little or nothing need be said. But there is a wider issue concerning which, we think, a good deal will be said. Perhaps it is needless to say that the course of the News will be in no way influenced or affected by what has happened. We shall continue to discuss public questions on their merits, as in the past, and to criticize public men without political or partisan bias."

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[Mrs.] Despard and several of the [women were p]laced under arrest. Together [with] those who had been remanded [at Bow st]reet police court late in the aft[ernoon Mrs. D]espard and her companions at [were a]rraigned tomorrow.

[Eig]ht Sent to Prison.

[Eight wome]n were fined today, but they [refused to pa]y and were sent to prison for [periods] from two weeks to a month. [The w]omen engaged in the disturb[ance were fro]m Glasgow, Manchester, Birm[ingham, and] elsewhere in the provinces. [With the exce]ption of Mrs. Despard those [prominent in] the suffrage movement held [al]oof, but as it is the expressed [determination of] the women to continue their [efforts with]hout intermission the leaders [may b]e heard from at any moment. [They say] that they will not yield in their [determinat]ion to exhaust every means to [force the go]vernment to concede to their [demands].

[The demons]trations so far have been less [violent and b]riefer than some of those on [former occasi]ons, because nowadays the [police are alwa]ys well prepared, but it is evi[dent that the] authorities are becoming tired [of the affair]s, and they show less patience [than at first o]nce in dealing with the recal[citrants].

[Driv]e Up in Taxicab.

[The first de]monstration, however, was of [a comparativ]ely orderly and quiet charac[ter. Mrs. De]spard, with a companion, both [in taxicab att]ire, drove to the house of com[mons in a tax]icab.

[They] asked the police inspector [on duty] to carry the resolution to [Mr. Asqu]ith. The inspector politely ad[vised them to] send it by mail. He also of[fered to take] it in himself, but Mrs. Despard [insisted on] a personal interview.

[In the mean]time a number of other suf[fragettes mo]ved upon the scene, and, as [the deputation del]egate refused to depart, she [and sever]al others, who were attempt[ing to make their] way to force their way in, ar[rested and c]harged with obstructing the [police in the e]xecution of their duty.

[B]reak Up Procession.

[When] they first attempted to march [in procession], but their line being broken up [by the police] they mingled with a crowd [of persons] who had gathered to witness [the scene and s]auntered singly toward Down[ing street].

[This, ho]wever, had completely blocked [the approach t]o the thoroughfare and twen[ty-two of the mo]re militant suffragettes, who [tried to brea]k through the lines, were ar[rested and charge]d with interfering with the po[lice].

[In Downing street] there was a scene of great [excitement. Time and th]en time and again throwing [themselves def]iantly against the double line [of police only] to be forced back, or, if they [were too] persistent, to be handed over [to the police] who marched them off to the [police station] amid cheers, hoots, and hisses [from the thro]ng. Several women actually [spat] on the policemen.

[The police f]inally cleared the street and [those wh]o were not arrested returned [to the hall] where they were addressed by [their leaders].

[F]ate Awaits Cabinet.

[Miss] Matters, who on Tuesday went [up] in a balloon in an effort to [scatter tr]acts while the king was open[ing parliament], then made a breezy speech [in which she d]eclared that the government [was afr]aid of bombs, as some "idiotic [persons ha]d suggested.

["We] do not intend to make martyrs [of any] of the cabinet," Miss Matters [said. "We si]mply are going to make them [look like a lot] of driveling idiots."

[ROOSEVEL]T ROMAN HONOR OFF.

[Rome'][s] Mayor Recedes from Plan [to Give] Citizenship Because of [Aid t]o Quake Victims.

[Rome, Feb.] 18.—The mayor of Rome, Sig. [Nathan, has de]cided not to carry out the pro[posal to confer] upon Theodore Roosevelt the [citizenship of] Rome during his brief stay in [the city on his wa]y to East Africa.

[It was propos]ed to confer this honor upon [Mr. Roosevelt] as a recognition of the gen[erosity of the] United States towards the [earthquake su]fferers, but Sig. Nathan be[lieves that whe]n all nations did everything [in their power] to help the needy, no distinc[tion should be] made.

[Should Mr. R]oosevelt consent to deliver a [lecture in Rom]e Sig. Nathan would gladly [place at his di]sposal a befitting hall.

[FRIENDS] OF SHAH KIDNAPED?

[Repor]t Says So and That Revolu[tionists H]ave Demanded Five [Thousa]nd Dollars Ransom.

[BY CABLE T]O THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE.]

[London, F]eb. 19.—The Teheran corre[spondent of th]e Times says revolutionists [have seized] Shua Es Sultaneh, the shah's [brother, who a]rrived at Resht from Europe [recently,] and have demanded $5,000 [ransom].

[N]EWSPAPER MEN [F]EAR IN WASHINGTON.

[Attor]ney Baker Says No Diffi[culty Will] Be Experienced in Secur[ing A]ttendance.

[Washington,] D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—[District Attorn]ey Baker, in a statement to[day, said no diffi]culty would be experienced in [securing the at]tendance in this city of Joseph [Pulitzer and ot]her officials of the New York [World and Me]ssrs. Smith and Williams of [the Indianapol]is News, who were indicted [here yesterday] for the alleged criminal libel[ing of Presiden]t Roosevelt, President Elect [Taft, Secretary of State E]lect Root, J. P. Morgan, Will[iam Nelson Cromw]ell, C. P. Taft, and Douglas [Robinson].

["These are] new proceedings," said Mr. [Baker. "A gre]at deal has been said about [libel cases] and about common law of[fenses not bein]g removable. The Dana case, [however, is no lon]ger is authority for the re[moval of perso]ns charged with common law [libel in this city] because it has been over[ruled, bec]ause the offense of libel now [is covered b]y a statute of the District of [Columbia."]

[News No]t to Change Policy.

[Indianapolis,] Ind., Feb. 18.—The News pub[lishes the follo]wing statement concerning the [i]ndictments:

["As to the issues] presented by the indictments [these are mat]ters for the courts. In regard [to them fu]rther nothing need be said. But [as to th]e issue concerning which, we [r]eal will be said. Perhaps it [will be found b]y that the course of the News [will in no w]ay influenced or affected by [what has hap]pened. We shall continue to [discuss all q]uestions on their merits, as in [the past, and t]o criticise public men without [part]isan bias."

WANT GYM TO MAKE TEACHERS

Trustees Consider a $200,000 Building to Relieve Famine.

FEW TRAINERS FOR PUPILS.

Retiring Supt. Cooley Expresses Hope Plan Will Go Through.

The first step in an emergency campaign to relieve a famine in physical culture and manual training teachers in Chicago was taken yesterday by the school management committee of the board of education.

The committee voted to proceed at once to erect a $200,000 building at the Chicago Normal school to house a gymnasium and facilities for training in the so-called "manual arts"—manual training, domestic science, mechanical drawing, physical culture, and the like. The measure will be presented to the buildings and grounds committee at its meeting this afternoon and will be passed by the board, it is expected, next Wednesday evening.

At present there are only ten instructors of physical culture for the 250,000 or more children in the elementary schools.

Must Leave City to Get Training.

"It's an impossible situation," said Trustee O. F. Griefenhagen after the meeting. "We have ten physical culture teachers for the whole elementary school system—eight of them women. In the high schools there are fifteen instructors. Most of them are old men and if they drop out it will be almost impossible to fill their places.

"The trouble is this: If a Chicago boy graduates from high school and wants to become a physical culture instructor he must go to some turner academy down in Indiana. There is no training for him here and he simply must be told that if he wants to be a physical culture teacher he must leave the city. Most of the boys can't do that, and we here in Chicago have no source of supply.

"The manual training situation is about as bad. The other day I saw a little girl—she didn't weigh 100 pounds—teaching big, husky boys how to pound a nail and saw a board. That's the kind of manual training we have. We can't get the teachers and we are up against it."

Cooley for It, Also Cooking.

Retiring Supt. Cooley urged the measure on the committee as an emergency request—possibly the last he will make as superintendent of schools. Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, principal of the Normal school, attended the meeting and presented the need of the building at some length.

"This is one of the things I'd like to see under way before I leave," said Mr. Cooley. "We aren't half doing the physical culture work in this city. I think we have the best normal school in America today, but we need to increase its scope."

Another innovation was launched by the committee in the establishment of a cooking class at the Tilden school for housewives of the neighborhood. This was proposed by Harriet N. Winchell, principal of the school, and recommended by Mr. Cooley.

"You're establishing a precedent," said Mr. Cooley, "but I think it's a good one. It will cost nothing at first, but later you may be asked to spend some money."

The expenses of the class for the present will be paid out of the Crane foundation, a fund donated by the Crane family for the use of the school.

Butler to Speak at Dedication.

Elaborate preparations are under way for the dedication of the new Albert G. Lane technical high school at Sedgwick and Division streets. The exercises will be held on Washington's birthday in connection with the meeting of the department of superintendence of the National Education association. Addresses will be made by President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia university, President Otto C. Schneider of the board of education, and Supt. Cooley.

MUSIC FETES FOR EVANSTON.

North Shore Festival Association Is Formed to Give Series of Concerts Annually.

An organization has been formed in Evanston to give musical festivals annually on an extensive scale. The organization, which has been named the Chicago North Shore Festival association, includes the communities on the north shore from Buena Park to Lake Forest. The first festival will include four concerts in June, with a chorus of 1,500 voices.

P. C. Lutkin, dean of the Northwestern university musical school, will act as the musical director of the association. He already has engaged such singers as Schumann-Heink, David Bispham, and Margaret Keyes as principals.

The Patten gymnasium of Northwestern university, which will be completed in the spring, will be used as the hall for the first concert.

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Production of "Hunkers' Corners" to Be Under Direction of Clara Mae McCloud and Cast Is Large.

The Dunamis and Chrysalis Boys' club of the Central Y. M. C. A. will enact "Hunkers' Corners" Friday evening at the association's central auditorium. The play is a comedy in three acts, and provides unusually good material for an amateur production. The parts of the girls will be assumed by boys.

The production will be under the direction of Clara Mae McCloud. The cast is unusually large. The leading rôles will be taken by David Rowe, Edward Dahlin, Harold Grant, Ben Miller, Horace Weigley, Graeme Smith, Maurice Spencer, Joseph Stein, Einar Christian, William Blomp, and Morris Schrager.

Dates for Meetings.

THE PARENTS AND TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION of Oak Park High school will give a matinée and dancing party this afternoon in the assembly hall of the school.

AJAX COUNCIL No. 1068 of the National Union will give its second annual dance this evening at Kretlow's dancing academy.

THE CHOIR OF THE CHURCH OF THE ANNUNCIATION will give a double minstrel show this evening at Auburn hall, Seventy-ninth street and Lowe avenue.

"AFRICA AS I SAW IT" is the title of an address to be delivered in the Moody church this evening by the Rev. E. A. Marshall.

THE CHARACTER BUILDING CLUB will meet this afternoon at the Falkenstein settlement house and hear an address by Mrs. Alice S. Hall on "The Potency of Parental Influence."

THE PAUL JONES CHAPTER, Children of the Republic of the United States, will hold a joint celebration of Washington's and Lincoln's birthdays this evening at Cornell park.

THE MEN'S CLUB OF HYDE PARK will give an entertainment for the women this evening. William J. Calhoun will speak on "Some Impressions of South America."

THE ENGLEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL DRAMATIC CLUB will present "A Good Natured Man" this evening at the Masonic temple.

THE SEVENTH REGIMENT armory will be the scene of an address on April 17 by Father Patrick J. O'Grady, the "patriot priest of Ballaghadereen."

THE PUBLIC POLICY CLUB of Austin will listen to a lecture this evening on "The Commercial Docks and Harbors of Europe, with Special Reference to the Proposed Outer Harbor for Chicago," by Prof. J. Paul Goode of the University of Chicago.

THE MUNICIPAL HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION of Chicago and Cook county will hold a meeting in memorial hall of the public library this afternoon. Frank W. Smith will deliver a lecture on "Early Chicago."

ISABEL GARGHILL BEECHER will give an interpretative reading of an adaptation of "The Servant in the House" in the Central Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Feb. 20, at 8:15 p. m.

WED WITHOUT PROPER PERMITS

Two Couples Procure Licenses in Cook County and Then Are Married in Indiana.

Two marriage licenses issued in Cook county were returned to the county clerk's office yesterday with evidence thereon that the marriages had been performed in Indiana.

One of the licenses shows that Karel Kocmond and Anna Plocar were married by George W. Lawrence, justice of the peace, at North Judson, Ind., on Feb. 2, the day the license was issued in the office of the clerk of Cook county.

The other license shows that Howard E. Wynn and Maude Larkin were married by the Rev. Howard M. Dunlavy at Crown Point, Ind., on Feb. 14.

Both marriages are believed to be illegal.

COMFORT SOUGHT IN SILENCE.

Fifteen Harassed Souls Find Rest in Room Established by Emmanuel Baptist Church.

The Mecca for the weary, established this week in the silence room of the Emmanuel Baptist church, did a large business yesterday. Fifteen harassed souls found rest and comfort there. Five of them occupied the room at one time for more than an hour, and notwithstanding they were all women, the silence was not broken. In every case after they had been for a little time under the soothing influence of the quiet they fell asleep. When they awoke they felt refreshed and said, each of voluntary accord, that they were coming again every day.

MRS. JOHN DONALD BLACK ILL.

Chicago Novelist, Known as Margaret Horton Potter, Suffering from Serious Attack of Neuritis.

Mrs. John Donald Black, 147 Lincoln Park boulevard, is seriously ill with neuritis. She returned in October from a six months' trip to Europe, apparently quite recovered from a previous illness. Mrs. Black is the youngest daughter of the late O. W. Potter and is known in the literary world as Margaret Horton Potter.

IN THE SOCIETY WORLD.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter, who have spent the greater part of the winter in Chicago, are expected to leave tomorrow for Washington, where they will join Mrs. Levi Leiter at her Dupont circle residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Leiter have been unable to take much part in the society life of the city during their stay, in fact, their first year of married life has been one in which mine disasters and fires and appendicitis operations have played so dramatic a part that society has been a rather impossible part of their Chicago stay. Mr. Leiter has recovered almost completely from his operation of a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Victoria Carver Thompson of 285 Dearborn avenue, a sister of Mrs. Leiter Sr., has preceded Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter to Washington and is now a guest at the family residence in the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Coombs of Oak Park announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emily, to Richard S. Southgate, formerly of Woodstock, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fargo, formerly of Evanston, but now of Belding, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rowena, to Roy A. Reynolds of Belding.

The marriage of Miss Helena May Simons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Simons, 5328 Madison avenue, and Arthur C. Watson, son of Mrs. Clara E. Watson, 5762 Rosalie court, took place at 8:30 o'clock last night at the family residence, the Rev. Herman Page officiating. Miss Lucy Applegate was the maid of honor and Miss Rose Watson, sister of the bridegroom, played the wedding march. Vernon Watson, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man.

The bride wore a gown of white duchesse satin, trimmed in heavy hand embroidery, and her tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms. She carried a prayer book. After a southern trip Mr. and Mrs. Watson will be at home after April 15 at 5466 Lexington avenue.

Mrs. Kate M. Wood, 6602 Normal boulevard, has issued invitations for the wedding of her daughter, Miss Fredericka Anna, to Herbert Wiley, which will take place on Tuesday evening, Feb. 23, at the First Methodist church of Englewood. The Rev. D. D. Vaughan and the Rev. William O. Shepard will officiate.

The bride will be attended by Mrs. Jay C. Pierce of Lafayette as matron of honor and Miss Annie Ward Foster as maid of honor. Little Marion Vaughan and Margaret M. Hugo will be the flower girls. Edgar S. Owen will serve as best man and Jay C. Pierce of Lafayette, Dr. J. George Vaughan, and William J. Bender will be the ushers. A reception will follow the ceremony. After April 15 Mr. and Mrs. Wiley will be at home at 7036 Yale avenue.

Miss Bernice Wilcox of Hamilton Park will give a week end house party from today until Monday in honor of a group of Lewis institute girls. Miss Wilcox has planned a luncheon and theater party for tomorrow to be followed by a dance in the evening in honor of her guests.

Mrs. George B. Caldwell of 200 Home avenue, Oak Park, will give a unique pre-Lenten reception this afternoon. In the receiving line will be Mrs. John Farson and Mrs. Fred Butler. The assisting ladies will be Mrs. Leslie W. Beebe, Mrs. Louis E. Yager, Mrs. James Adams, and Mrs. Francis E. Dillon. Mrs. N. F. Thompson of Rockford will be the guest of honor. An interesting form of entertainment has been arranged about a cosy tea table in the library, where Mrs. Robert C. Taylor and Mrs. Leroy Caldwell will pour and incidentally convey a few grounds to each cup. An interesting half hour will follow for each guest when Mrs. Jessie Chamberlin will peer into their future through these grounds.

A company of young girls will preside at the punch bowl, including Miss Julia Luce of Lansing, Mich., Miss Florence Butler, Miss Edna Neil, and Miss Helen Caldwell. Mrs. George Hooper Taylor will be in charge of the dining room, where a mound of jacqueminot roses and white freesias, four feet high, will decorate the table. The drawing room will be decorated to represent a spring garden, a feature being a fourteen foot mirror outlined by a broad bank of growing daffodils and jonquils. The same flowers will be used in abundance throughout the room. The hours are from 3 to 6.

Mrs. Willard T. Block gave a dinner yesterday at the Union League club in honor of Mrs. Donald McLean, president general of the national society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Jerome S. Blum is here from Paris as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Blum, 4619 Michigan avenue. Mr. Blum is one of the American-Parisian artist colony, a member of the Ecole des Beaux Arts, and a recipient of awards for three paintings hung in the fall salon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Kent and their daughter, Miss Hazel Kent, of 5003 Madison avenue, accompanied by Miss Underhill of Edgerton, Wis., are in Florida for the spring season. At present they are staying at the Hotel Magnolia, St. Augustine, later planning to go to Palm Beach and other points of interest. They expect to return about April 1, when they will take possession of their home in Glencoe, now in the course of erection.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Hall Babcock and Miss Eleanor Babcock of Bellevue place have returned from Grand Rapids, Mich., where they recently spent a fortnight.

Miss Marjorie Crocker, 3207 Malden street, and Miss Hattie Sullivan, 247 Osgood street, leave today to attend the junior prom at Madison, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand C. Spies, 2042 Magnolia avenue, left Tuesday for an extended sojourn through California, where they will spend the next three or four months.

Miss Annie Perine of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. Charles S. Barber of Evanston.

SOCIETY AT NATION'S CAPITAL.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—The last state reception of the present administration was held tonight by the president and Mrs. Roosevelt for officers of the army and navy. It was the last meeting of the social forces which have been prominent during the Roosevelt administration, and was the most brilliant gathering of the winter.

Flags of the various arms of the service were draped over the doorways of the drawing rooms, and the president's flag marked the entrance to the blue room, where the president and Mrs. Roosevelt received their guests, assisted by wives of cabinet members and of ranking officers of the army and navy. The tall vases on the mantels were filled with roses.

The members of the conservation commission were entertained by the president and Mrs. Roosevelt, together with their other guests who assisted them in the blue room, at supper following the reception.

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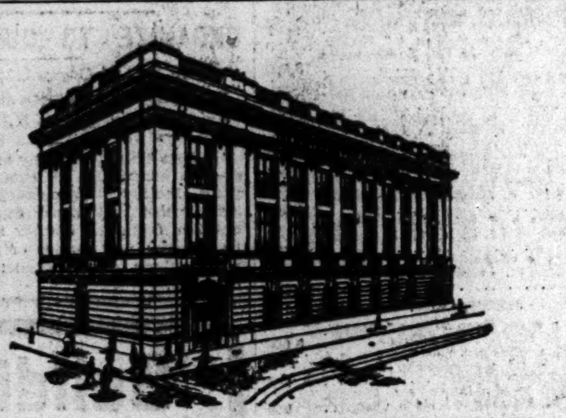

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COARSE GRAINS HAVE BOOM

Activity and Strength Mark Session in Corn and Oats.

WHEAT NERVOUS, NARROW.

News Runs Bearish, but Patten Specter Curbs Aggressive Selling.

Leading coarse grains joined hands yesterday and more than broke even with wheat in the matter of activity and general speculative interest. Both corn and oats ballooned the greater part of the session, the latter, in which trading was more voluminous than at any time in many months, being relatively the stronger in the long run. The soft, wet weather served as one of the principal stimulating factors. Final quotations represented net advances of ⅜@⅝c for corn, May ruling firmest, and 1c for oats. At one time, early in the session, May corn showed an advance of ⅞@1c over the Wednesday finish.

All Oats Futures Active.

Activity in the oats market was not confined to any one future, but was general, business in the September being broad and brisk from start to finish. Many of the long dormant operators flocked to the buying side of the distant months, offerings of which were comparatively light even on the biggest bulges. There was much profit taking in all months, but the buying was sufficient to offset the effect of the selling. Many of the early sellers turned buyers late in the session, covering by floor shorts being a feature. The leading owners of wheat were credited with taking large quantities of oats. The demand for the cash article was active at prices ½@1c higher, shippers noting an expanding call from the east, where stocks are said to be dangerously low.

Some of the receivers reported more liberal country offerings of oats, and they figured that the recent advance would attract further shipments from the interior. Local receipts were 113 cars, against only 37 a year ago, the estimate for today being 120 cars. Primary arrivals aggregated 269,000 bu, compared to 302,000 bu the like day in 1908.

Weather Favors Corn Bulls.

Wet weather and indications of further rains in important sections of the belt stirred corn shorts to active covering and prompted longs who recently trimmed their lines for profits to reinstate. Pit offerings at no time were pressing, and it was not until late in the session, when the desire to pocket profits became quite general, that the undertone weakened. The May was lifted to 66½c, the July to 65⅝c, and the September to 65½c. Some of the commission concerns with country connections were accounted sellers on the harder spots.

Local receipts totaled 238 cars, as expected, not a car grading contract, against only 21 a year ago, when weather conditions were against shipping operations. The estimate for today was 304 cars. Primary arrivals were 419,000 bu, against 197,000 bu the similar day in 1907. Clearances at the seaboard were 141,000 bu. The Argentine shipped nothing this week, and some of the advices from that country indicated less favorable crop prospects. Liverpool wound up at an advance of ⅛@¼d. Three of the local houses reported moderate receipts of corn from Iowa and Illinois, but the offerings in this state at the fancier prices were disappointingly light. The bears are counting on a materially heavier run from the country, particularly from west of the Mississippi river, when the roads harden. Local traders indulged in much changing yesterday, buying the May and selling the July.

Wheat Shows Little Change.

Developments in the wheat market were largely a repetition of the previous day's doings. Extremely nervous throughout, but with business confined to narrow, professional bounds, values again kept close to the previous finish, virtually ignoring the strength displayed in the other pits. Finals showed net declines of ¼@⅜c for May, which lost none of its stringency; ¼c for July, and ⅛@¼c for September.

The leading longs were credited with selling early in the day, turning to the buying side when the bears gave signs of aggressiveness. The general cash situation presented little in the way of change, premiums continuing high, with the demand moderately active. Local sales to outside millers assumed good proportions. The general run of news favored the pessimists. Weather in winter wheat territory was favorable to the crop advancement, the situation in Oklahoma being reported improved, and domestic receipts ran materially over the showing of a year ago—496,000 bu, against only 221,000 bu last year. Duluth and Minneapolis together had 287 cars, compared to 154 in 1908, and the run southwest continued in excess of that of a year ago, although shipments were heavier in comparison. Seaboard clearances were only 83,000 bu and exporters reported indifference on the part of foreigners.

Argentine Estimate Is Large.

The week's exports from the Argentine were estimated at 6,000,000 bu, compared to 6,616,000 bu a year ago, and those from Australia were estimated at 2,400,000 bu, against only 304,000 bu a year ago. With the exception of Paris, where some prices were bolstered 1c, foreign markets proved disappointing. Liverpool closed ⅜d lower, Antwerp ⅝c off, Budapest ⅝c off, and Berlin unchanged. Minneapolis stocks showed an increase of 40,000 bu for five days, against a decrease of 200,000 bu for the like period last year.

It was reported that the Patten people bought freely in the Duluth pit, where prices have been sinking sufficiently to make the Chicago market attractive to wheat holders there. Local traders were said to have bought a cargo of Duluth wheat, this purchase evidently stirring the leading longs to the support of the northern market.

Strong Market for Rye.

Rye was strong with a good demand for cash. No. 2 free on board was quoted 77@77½c; No. 3, 73@76½c; No. 4, 60@72c. Receipts were 8 cars.

Barley was firm and prices were steady to 1c higher. Mixing was quoted 63@64½c; malting, 63@68c; screenings, 55@65c. Receipts were 65 cars.

Flaxseed was 2c higher. No. 1 northwestern was quoted $1.68½; No. 1 from the northwest, $1.67; No. 1 southwestern, $1.58½.

Timothy seed was dull. Contract spot was quoted $3.75; country lots, $2.50@3.80.

Clover seed was quoted at $9.05 for March and $7.50@8.90 for cash lots.

Range of Active Futures.

WHEAT.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 18.	Closing Feb. 17.
May	1.14-13⅞	1.14⅝	1.13⅞	1.13⅞-14	1.14¼
July	1.00½-¼	1.00⅝	1.00	1.00⅛	1.00⅜
Sept.	95½-⅜-½	95⅝	95⅜	95⅜-⅜	95⅝
CORN.					
May	65⅝-¾	66½	65⅝	66⅛-¼	65⅝-¾
July	65⅛	65⅝	65	65⅜	64⅞-5
Sept.	65-⅛	65½	65	65¼-⅜	64⅞-5
OATS.					
May	54⅞-¼-⅝	55⅛	54⅛	55⅛-¼	54⅛
July	49	49⅞	49	49⅞	48⅞
Sept.	40⅛-⅜	41⅝	40⅛	41⅛	40⅛

Grain Inspection.

	No. 2 or better.	Standard.	No. 3.	Lower grade.	Total.
Winter wheat	8	...	15	2	25
Spring wheat	...	...	1	...	1
Corn	...	...	163	75	238
Oats	6	26	56	25	113
Rye	4	...	4	...	8
Barley	3	...	31	31	65
Totals	21	26	270	133	450

Inspected out from store: Wheat—No. 2 hard, 10,139 bu; No. 2 red, 22,366 bu; No. 1 northern, 8,850 bu. Corn—No. 2, 10,000 bu. Oats—No. 3 white, 6,757 bu. Loaded from unlicensed elevators: Wheat—Winter—20 cars and 14,100 bu No. 2 hard, 13 cars No. 1 red, 15 cars No. 2 red. Corn—4 cars No. 2 yellow, 122 cars No. 3 yellow, 6 cars No. 2 white, 8 cars No. 2, 81 cars No. 3.

Daily Indemnities.

	Ups High.	Ups Low.	Ups Close.	Downs High.	Downs Low.	Downs Close.
Wheat— May	1.14⅝	1.14⅝	1.14⅝	1.13⅝	1.13	1.13
July	1.00⅜	1.00⅛	1.00⅛	1.00⅛	99⅞	99⅞
Corn— May	66⅛	66⅝	66⅛	66	65⅝	65⅝
July	65⅝	65⅛	65⅝	65¼	65⅛	65⅛
Oats— May	56⅝	56⅛	56⅛	55⅛	55	55

Weekly Indemnities.

Wheat—	Next week— Ups.	Downs.
May	$1.18⅝	$1.10

INTERESTING TRADE GOSSIP ON 'CHANGE.

Bartlett-Patten brokers were consistent buyers of wheat and their support was needed, as there was quiet selling on a fair scale all day, wheat being for sale at $1.14 and over. Logan-Bryan sold about 500,000 bu and there was late selling by Armour. Chapin sold wheat and Barrell also was a free seller. Early there was buying by Jackson, Chapin, Logan-Bryan, and Armour. Lake sold July and bought May for the east and northwest. Kidston, Barrell, Lamson, and Gifford bought corn. Lake was a seller. Knight-McDougal and Shearson-Hammill bought May and sold July. Buying of oats was general, led by Bartlett-Patten, Pringle, Shearson-Hammill, and Ware-Leland. Logan-Bryan also bought freely. Clement-Curtis, Roberts, and Bartlett-Patten sold on the advance. The Cudahy Packing company bought about 4,000 tcs lard and 1,500,000 lbs ribs. Selling was headed by Schwars and Sterling.

The trade in cash wheat was quiet yesterday, but sales aggregated about 50,000 bu, the demand coming principally from millers in the interior who have flour sold for forward shipment. Prices were firm relatively here and in the southwest. Choice No. 2 hard and No. 3 hard sold here at May price on track. St. Louis quoted No. 2 red $1.27½ and No. 3 red $1.25. A cargo of Duluth spring wheat was sold to a Chicago house. Some of the best posted cash men here claim there is little likelihood of any important quantities of hard winter wheat being brought here from the southwest, as the scarcity of red winter will soon cause an improved demand for hard winters. New York wired there was an improved foreign inquiry and 16,000 bu was reported worked to Mexico on the basis of $1.20 in store at New York. Baltimore quoted No. 2 red $1.20¼ bid, an advance of ⅜c.

Unfavorable weather conditions have caused a revision of sentiment in regard to corn on the part of many traders. While it is admitted a large quantity of corn has been sold to arrive and that a much larger percentage of the crop is still back than has been the case in recent years, farmers are unable to market it owing to bad roads. Yesterday's acceptances were small. Local prices were ½@1c higher, with a fair shipping demand. Oats were in moderate demand and sample prices were also ½@1c higher, following the advance in futures. Local sales were 75,000 bu corn and 210,000 bu oats.

Patten was given credit for buying May wheat at Duluth yesterday, and the difference between Duluth and Chicago was narrowed slightly. It was reported that a cargo of Duluth No. 1 northern had been sold to a Chicago concern, and prices are regarded as practically on a working basis. Patten predicts $1.25 for May wheat on its merits and even higher values if any speculation comes into the market.

A Kansas City message to W. P. Anderson & Co. said the cash demand for wheat was undiminished and that receivers who have been getting large amounts from Nebraska said their advices were small. Some bad reports on the growing crop are coming from western Nebraska. It was predicted that Kansas City stock of wheat would be reduced to 2,000,000 bu inside of ten days.

Price Current: "Snow and sleet covering winter wheat probably not detrimental to crop and prospects continue to be regarded as encouraging. Bad roads restricting interior offerings of grain, but prices more acceptable. Western packing for week, 525,000 hogs, against 760,000 for corresponding week a year ago."

No. 1 northern wheat was about 13c under St. Louis No. 2 red, which is usually reversed. Southwestern cash handlers are said to be feeling the effect of the northwestern mills underselling them.

It was reported from New York yesterday that Patten was offering wheat, provided it was used for export, on such a basis as would figure 5c a bushel under Chicago May for the hard wheat.

W. H. Bartlett was understood to have added to his line of long oats yesterday and is predicting much higher prices, claiming that farm stocks are down to the lowest level ever known.

George E. Marcy, president of the Armour Grain company, left last night for California, where he will remain for about six weeks.

Estimated receipts for today are: Wheat, 23 cars; corn, 304 cars; oats, 120 cars; rye, 3 cars; barley, 36 cars; hogs, 31,000.

July	1.02⅛	.96⅛
Corn—		
May	.67⅛	.65
July	.66⅛	.64⅝
Oats—		
May	.56⅛	.54¼

Cash Grain Transactions.

FLOUR—Firm; winter wheat patents, jute, $4.75@4.90; straight, jute, $4.00@4.75; clear, jute, $3.90@4.10; spring wheat flour, special brands, wood, $6.25. Minnesota and hard springs, straight, export bags, $5.00@5.20; first clears, $3.65@3.90; second clears, $2.00@3.10; low grades, $2.70@2.80; rye flour, white, per brl, jute, $3.70@3.85; dark, per brl, $3.35@3.65.

WINTER WHEAT—Firm. Sales in store: Mixed lots, 50,000 bu. Free on board: No. 4 red, 99c; No. 3 hard, $1.11½@1.14; No. 2 hard, $1.14@1.14½. Illinois proportional: No. 4 red, $1.01@1.15.

SPRING WHEAT—Steady.

CORN—½@1c up. Sales in store: Mixed lots, 75,000 bu. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 61@62½c; No. 4, 63⅝@64½c; No. 4 yellow, 64@64⅝c; No. 2, 61⅛@64½c; No. 3 yellow, 64⅝@65c; No. 4 white, 64⅛@64⅞c; No. 3 white, 65⅛@65⅝c; ears, 67½@69c. Illinois proportional billing: No grade, 61@63c; No. 4, 63⅛@64⅛c; No. 4 yellow, 63⅛@64½c; No. 3, 64⅛@64¼c; No. 3 yellow, 64⅝@65⅛c; No. 4 white, 64@64⅝c; No. 3 white, 65⅛@66⅝c.

OATS—½@1c up. Sales in store: Standard, 10,000 bu at 53c; white clipped, 200,000 bu. Sales on track and free on board: No grade, 51½c; No. 4, 52c; No. 4 white, 52@54c; No. 3 white, 53⅛@55c; standard, 55c. Illinois proportional billing: No. 4 white, 54@54¼c; No. 3 white, 54⅛@55c; standard, 54⅝@55¼c; No. 2 white, 55@55½c.

RYE—Firm. Sales free on board: No. 2, 77@78c; No. 3, 75c.

BARLEY—Steady to 1c up. Sales free on board: Screenings, 60@66c; barley, 63@65½c. To arrive, by sample: 100,000 bu, 63½@65c.

AMERICAN GRAIN MARKETS.

DULUTH, Minn., Feb. 18.—Close: WHEAT—No. 1 hard, on track, $1.12⅝ to arrive; No. 1 northern, $1.11⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.09⅞; on track, No. 1 northern, $1.11⅞; No. 2 northern, $1.09⅞; May, $1.11⅞; July, $1.11⅞; durum on track, No. 1, 96½c; No. 2, 94½c; May, 96c; July, 96c. FLAX—To arrive, $1.66⅝; on track, $1.66⅞; May, $1.66⅞; July, $1.63⅞; September, $1.43⅞; October, $1.38. OATS—To arrive, 51½c; on track, 51⅞c. RYE—67@70c. BARLEY—58@60c. Cars inspected—Wheat, 31; last year, 41; oats, 8; barley, 6; flax, 3; last year, 10. Receipts—Wheat, 56,322; corn, 5,044; oats, 5,896; barley, 5,689; rye, 533; flax, 2,764. Shipments—Wheat, 8,800; barley, 5,787; rye, 3,000.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—WHEAT—Receipts, 45,600 bu; spot firm; No. 2 red, $1.19⅝ elevator; No. 2 red, $1.20⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 northern Duluth, $1.23⅝ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.20⅝ f. o. b. afloat. May, $1.17⅛@1.18⅛, closed $1.17⅛; July, $1.07⅝@1.08⅝, closed, $1.08. CORN—Receipts, 38,250 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 74c elevator and 71⅝c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white nominal and No. 2 yellow, 71⅝c f. o. b. afloat; May closed 73⅝c; July closed 72⅝c; September closed 72½c. OATS—Receipts, 36,600; spot firmer; mixed, 26@32 lbs, 56@56½c; natural white, 26@32 lbs, 55⅛@59c; clipped white, 34@42 lbs, 57⅛@62c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 18.—WHEAT—May opened $1.10⅝@1.10⅝; high, $1.11⅛@1.11⅞; low, $1.10⅝@1.10⅝; close, $1.10⅝. July opened $1.11⅜; high, $1.12; low, $1.11⅝@1.11⅜; close, $1.11⅝@1.11⅝. Cash No. 1 northern, $1.12⅝@1.12⅝; to arrive, $1.12⅝@1.12⅝; No. 2 northern, $1.10⅝@1.11⅛; to arrive, $1.10⅝@1.10⅝; No. 3 wheat, $1.06⅝@1.08⅝. CORN—No. 3 yellow, 60⅝c. OATS—No. 3 white, 51⅝@51⅞c. RYE—No. 2, 71⅝@73⅛c. MILLSTUFFS—Shipments, 1,454 tons; bran, in bulk, $23.00@23.50. FLOUR—Shipments, 47,686 brls; first patents, $5.55@5.65; second patents, $5.40@5.50; first clears, $4.10@4.25; second clears, $3.05@3.15.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 18.—WHEAT—Firm; No. 1 northern, $1.16; No. 2 northern, $1.14; May, 1.14. RYE—½c higher; No. 1, 78c. OATS—Higher; standard, 55@55½c. CORN—Higher; May, 66⅛@66½. BARLEY—Firm; standard, 66½@67c; samples, 62⅝@66½c; X3, 66@66½c; No. 3, 63½@64c; No. 4, 62⅝@65½c; feed, 62@63c; Wisconsin, 63⅝@66⅝c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.—Cash Wheat—Unchanged; No. 2 hard, $1.06@1.11; No. 3, $1.05⅛@1.08⅛; No. 2 red, $1.24@1.26; No. 3, $1.20@1.25. CORN—⅛@1c higher; No. 2 mixed, 61⅛c; No. 3, 61⅛@61⅝c; No. 2 white, 63c; No. 3, 63c. OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white, 52c; No. 2 mixed, 50@51c. RYE—76@80c. Receipts—Wheat, 83 cars.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 18.—Close: WHEAT—Steady; track No. 2 red cash, $1.27½; No. 2 hard, $1.11@1.13½; May, $1.10⅝; July, 98⅛@98⅛c. CORN—Higher; track No. 2 cash, 63⅝c; No. 2 white, 67@67½c; May, 63⅝c; July, 64⅝c. OATS—Higher; track No. 2 cash, 53⅛c; No. 2 white, 55½c; May, 54⅛c; July, 48⅝c.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 18.—CORN—Higher; No. 2 yellow, 64¼@64½c; No. 3 yellow, 64@64½c; No. 2, 64½c; No. 3, 64c; No. 4, 63c; no grade, 60½c. OATS—Higher; No. 3 white, 54c.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 18.—CLOVERSEED—Cash, February, and March, $5.37½; October, $6.02½; prime alsike, $8.85.

Liverpool Grain Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Closing: WHEAT—Spot, strong; No. 2 red western, winter, 8s 4d; futures, quiet; March, 7s 10⅝d; May, 7s 9⅞d; July, 7s 10⅝d. CORN—Spot, steady; new American mixed, 5s 8d; futures, steady; March, 5s 6⅛d; May, 5s 6⅝d.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Another excessive run of hogs precipitated a decline of 10@20c in values and enabled packers to make up their droves at an average price of $6.23, against $6.41 Wednesday. Opening transactions were at a decline of only 10@15c, and during the middle hours the trade had a good tone at this level. But shippers soon got filled up, and then the market weakened, the close being with sales at a loss of largely 15@20c. Packers wanted the hogs at the decline, but more than 10,000 were carried over unsold, many of them on country orders.

Low prices had a stimulating effect on the demand for beef steers, and they sold with more alacrity at steady to strong figures. Butcher stock trade had a dull, weak tone, and the bulk of the medium cows and heifers sold at a further decline of 10c. Live mutton trade was uneven, and prices held anywhere from steady to 25c lower than on Wednesday. Prime lambs and sheep were in fair request at unchanged to 10c lower prices, but the inferior grades were discriminated against and hard to sell at a loss of 15@25c.

CATTLE.

Native steer values showed no material advance over the preceding day's level, but salesmen found it easier to effect sales, and the trade had a much healthier tone than on the preceding day. Recent sharp losses made in values brought prices to a level where killers considered it safe to lay in reserve supplies of good beef steers, and they came into the trade ready to take on a fair quota of stock. They were not willing to raise their bids over the Wednesday level, but showed little reluctance in paying steady to strong figures, and a clearance of all offerings was effected in good time.

Aside from some university stock which sold in small lots up to $7.00, the best steers on the market cleared at $6.50, with other loads of good heavy offerings at from $6.00@6.25, and the bulk of the medium to good light grades at from $5.25@5.75. Butcher stock trade had a dull, weak undertone and values held barely steady to 10c lower than on Wednesday. Bulls made unchanged prices, while calves were slower sale at weak to 25c lower prices, although odd lots of prime vealers sold up to $8.50. Stockers and feeders met with a broader demand on local and outside account, but prices did not rally from the break recorded Wednesday. Quotations:

Good to choice steers	$6.00@6.75
Fair to good steers	5.25@6.00
Common to fair steers	4.10@5.25
Canners and cutters	1.50@3.00
Medium to prime cows	3.50@5.00
Good to choice heifers	4.25@5.50
Common to fair heifers	2.75@4.00
Stockers and feeders	2.75@5.50
Heavy calves	3.50@6.00
Fair to fancy veals	7.00@8.50
Good to choice bulls	3.80@4.70
Bologna bulls	3.40@3.75

Cattle at six western markets, 22,100, against 20,300 a week ago, 19,800 a year ago, and 22,100 two years ago. Total for 1909 to date, 1,058,000, against 1,168,000 the same period in 1908.

HOGS.

Receipts of 44,000 were 15,000 heavier than the majority of the traders had expected, and although shippers and speculators bought hogs at a decline of only 10c early, it was not long before the price range was established at 15@20c lower than on Wednesday. Best hogs sold to outsiders at $6.45 on opening rounds, topping the market at 10c lower than on the preceding day. Later, however, it was almost impossible to get more than $6.35, and prime offerings were selling around $6.25.

Packers did little until values had been lowered 20c, but they were active buyers at the decline and commission men had little difficulty in selling stock at the prices. The killers bought mixed hogs at from $6.10@6.25, paying up to $6.35 for prime heavyweights and taking all they could secure at the figures, although there were many hogs which holders kept off the market in anticipation of higher values later this week. Pigs met with a good inquiry at a decline of 10c. Shippers' total purchases were estimated at 9,000, while packers and butchers bought 31,500, and about 10,000 were left unsold. Quotations:

Bulk of sales	$6.15@6.35
Selected butchers	6.35@6.45
Fair to good butchers	6.15@6.35
Good to choice heavy shipping	6.35@6.45
Medium to light fancy shipping	6.20@6.35
Mixed packing	6.10@6.25
Heavy packing	6.25@6.40
Heavy pigs	5.90@6.00
Light pigs	5.65@5.75
Stags	6.00@6.35
Boars	5.75@5.90

Average price of hogs at Chicago, $6.23, against $6.41 Wednesday, $6.57 a week ago, $4.56 a year ago, and $7.03 two years ago.

Eleven markets received 110,900 hogs, against 69,100 a week ago, 73,600 a year ago, and 78,200 two years ago. Total for 1909 to date, 4,551,000, against 5,872,000 the same period in 1908.

Hog purchases for the day follow: Armour & Co., 10,600; Swift & Co., 4,800; Schwarzschild & Sulzberger, 3,200; Anglo-American, 2,000; Hammond, 1,800; Boyd-Lunham, 1,300; Boore & Co., 840; Morris & Co., 8,100; Roberts & Oake, 1,100; Western Packing company, 1,200; butchers, 1,500; shippers, 9,000; total, 40,470; left over, 10,000.

SHEEP.

Buyers had orders calling for prime lambs and sheep, but receipts of 15,000 head looked burdensome to them, and they refused to uncover their orders during the early trading hours. This resulted in a slow, weak, unsatisfactory opening, and some of the salesmen let go of prime stock at a decline of 10c from Wednesday. During this period choice fat lambs were sold at $7.50, with one string of prime western offerings selling up to $7.60. Later in the day, however, a double deck load of western lambs sold up to $7.65, and a string of prime 93 lb native lambs cleared to a packer at $7.75, topping the market at that figure.

Prime sheep and yearlings were in limited supply, and they made steady values, odd lots of western wethers selling at around $5.40@5.50, with natives at up to $5.50@5.75, while yearlings cleared at from $6.00@6.75. None of the buyers wanted common sheep or lambs, and the price depreciation, for these amounted to 15@25c, many loads being disposed of at figures which left the country shipper with a loss. The market finished in a subverted condition, as supplies on the late market consisted chiefly of common stock that had to be carried over unsold. Quotations:

Fat wethers	$4.75@5.60
Fat yearlings	5.75@6.75
Prime ewes	4.25@5.50
Fair to good ewes	3.00@4.25
Cull ewes	2.00@3.25
Bucks	3.50@4.00
Native lambs, good to choice	7.00@7.75
Native lambs, plain to medium	5.50@6.75
Fed western lambs	6.50@7.65
Cull lambs	4.50@6.75

The movements of live stock at the Chicago stockyards compare as follows:

Receipts—	Cattle.	Calves.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Monday, Feb. 15	21,494	902	39,465	16,033
Tuesday, Feb. 16	6,526	1,058	25,638	8,553
Wednesday, Feb. 17	20,428	1,361	44,550	19,659
Thursday, Feb. 18	7,500	600	44,000	18,000
Week so far	55,948	3,921	153,602	62,245
Week ago	49,157	3,577	96,573	60,126
Cor. time 1908	62,706	4,291	106,554	51,919
Cor. time 1907	60,283	5,364	128,266	78,346
Shipments—				
Monday, Feb. 15	6,264	6	13,751	2,746
Tuesday, Feb. 16	1,818	2	10,347	1,081
Wednesday, Feb. 17	7,633	1	9,218	4,079
Thursday, Feb. 18	7,000	5	9,000	3,000
Week so far	22,715	14	42,316	10,906
Week ago	23,896	106	39,651	12,479
Cor. time 1908	24,571	358	36,102	14,822
Cor. time 1907	24,187	204	24,907	15,240

Receipts for Feb. 19 were estimated at 3,000 cattle, 27,000 hogs, and 8,000 sheep, against actual arrivals of 7,492 cattle, 41,788 hogs, and 13,257 sheep for Friday, Feb. 21, 1908.

STOCKYARDS GOSSIP.

Eastern shippers did not take their usual portion of the hog supply and local packers had a better chance to control prices than on any previous day in a long time, as both the excessive receipts and the indifference displayed by shippers could be used advantageously as bear factors. The shippers claimed that stock sent out of here would not reach eastern points until Monday, which is Washington's birthday and a holiday, and for this reason they were forced to buy more sparingly.

Average price of hogs for the day, at $6.23, stood 18c lower than on Wednesday, and the lowest since Jan. 28. It compared with an average price of $6.77 on Feb. 1, which was high day for the present year.

Traders were of the opinion that hog values had reached their low level for the present, and many of them who had desirable hogs did not offer them on the market, preferring to wait for the rally which they believe is sure to be recorded on later days this week.

Steers bought here during the fat stock show for the Illinois experimenting station were returned to market and sold at from $5.90@7.00. Only six head reached the latter figure, and they cost $9.00 at the exposition.

"Steers are selling at such low prices that buyers are neglecting the butcher stock, and it is almost impossible to get satisfactory bids for common and medium cows and heifers," said a trader. "Common cows were selling at a decline of 30@40c from last week's level, and meeting with a narorw outlet at that."

"Bob" Matteson, sheep buyer for Swift & Co., paid $7.65 for a double deck load of prime western lambs, while George Meyers bought prime natives at $7.75 for Schwarzschild & Sulzberger.

Western wethers of good quality were sold at $5.25, or the same as they cost the shipper in Wisconsin. The owner was obliged to pay freight charges, yardage, and commission out of his own pocket.

Sheep and lambs not fat enough to attract killers or good enough for feeders were carried over unsold or disposed of at a loss to the owner.

Hogs carried over from Wednesday's trade were officially counted at 8,720.

ON THE BOARD OF TRADE.

Provisions ruled a little easier in the early operations, but developed a sounder tone on support from a leading Chicago packer and in sympathy with the sharp upturn in the corn pit. Although the general demand was not brisk, offerings at no time were pressing. The western run of swine was 106,400, compared to 63,500 the like day last year, and the week's western packing showed 525,000 hogs, against 760,000 for the corresponding period in 1908. Packing for the season to date shows an increase of 600,000 hogs over that of the similar time last year. Shipments of meats and lard hence for the day were 1,604,000 lbs and 842,000 lbs, respectively, very much under those of a year ago. Morris Schwabacher estimated local stocks at 23,750 brls of pork, 67,500 tcs of lard, and 26,500,000 lbs of ribs. Final prices showed net gains of 2½@5c for pork, 5c for lard, and 2½@7½c for ribs.

MESS PORK.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Feb. 18.	Closing Feb. 17.
May	16.90	16.97½	16.90	16.97½	16.92½
July	17.00	17.05	16.97½	17.05	17.02½
LARD.					
May	9.65	9.70	9.62½	9.70	9.65
July	9.77½	9.82½	9.75	9.82½	9.77½
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8.85	8.92½	8.85	8.92½	8.87½
July	9.02½	9.07½	9.02½	9.07½	9.05

HOG PRODUCTS—Firm. Cash lots: Pork, new, $16.75@16.80; lard, $9.47½; short ribs, $8.25@8.75.

BEEF PRODUCTS—Quiet and steady. Prices quotable as follows: Beef hams, $22.00@22.50; extra mess beef, $9.50@10.00; plate beef, $13.00@13.50; extra plate beef, $14.50@15.50. Tallow steady at 7@7½c for edible, 6⅛@6⅝c for prime packers, 5⅝@6⅛c for No. 1 do, and 4⅝@5c for No. 2 do; 5⅝@6c for No. 1 renderers, 6⅛@6⅝c for choice country, and 5@5⅛c for No. 2 do. Oleo stearine in fair demand and quotably steady at 13½@14c. Oleo oil quiet at 10@10½c for extra.

GREASE—Quiet and steady at 4⅛@4⅝c for brown, 4⅝@5c for yellow, 4⅝@5c for house, 5⅝c for B white, 5⅝@6c for A white, and 6⅛c for choice white.

COOPERAGE—Easy. Ash pork brls, wood bound, 75@77½c; oak pork brls, wood bound, 90@92½c; lard tcs, wood bound, $1.25@1.27½.

VEALS.

50@60 lbs	7¼@8c	120@160 lbs	6⅛@8⅛c
60@85 lbs	7½@8½c	Coarse	5½@6½c
90@100 lbs	9@11c		

SOUTH WATER STREET BEEF PRICES.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Ribs	14½	13	7
Loins	18	15	8¼
Rounds	8¼	7⅝	6¼
Chucks	7½	6½	5½
Plates	6⅛	5½	4½

Live Stock Markets Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 6,500; steady to 10c lower; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5.50@6.25; fair to good, $4.90@5.50; western steers, $4.50@6.00; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5.35; southern steers, $4.25@5.40; southern cows, $2.70@4.50; native cows, $2.50@5.25; native heifers, $3.00@5.50; bulls, $2.50@4.65; calves, $4.00@7.50. HOGS—Receipts, 16,000; 10@20c lower; top, $6.32½; bulk of sales, $5.75@6.25; heavy, $6.15@6.32½; packers and butchers, $6.00@6.25; light, $5.65@6.05; pigs, $5.00@5.60. SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000; steady; lambs, $6.50@7.50; yearlings, $5.50@6.75; wethers, $4.75@5.50; ewes, $4.25@5.00; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.50.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,325; 10@15c lower; native shipment and export steers, $5.00@7.00; dressed beef and butchers steers, $4.00@6.25; steers under 1,000 lbs, $3.50@5.80; stockers and feeders, $3.25@5.00; cows and heifers, $3.25@6.25; canners, $1.75@2.25; bulls, $2.75@5.00; calves, $5.50@9.00; Texas and Indian steers, $3.50@6.20; cows and heifers, $1.75@4.15. HOGS—Receipts, 12,350; 10c lower; pigs and lights, $4.50@6.30; packers, $6.25@6.45; butchers and best heavy, $6.50@6.60. SHEEP—Receipts, 2,970; steady to 10c lower; native muttons, $3.75@5.40; lambs, $4.50@7.65; culls and bucks, $3.25@5.00; stockers, $3.00@4.00.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,400; steady; native steers, $4.00@6.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.00; western steers, $3.50@5.50; Texas steers, $3.00@5.00; range cows and heifers, $2.75@4.75; canners, $2.00@2.85; stockers and feeders, $2.75@5.25; calves, $3.00@7.00; bulls and stags, $2.75@4.85. HOGS—Receipts, 13,200; 5@10c lower; heavy, $6.00@6.25; mixed, $5.95@6.05; light, $5.75@6.10; pigs, $4.50@5.50; bulk, $5.90@6.10. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; steady; yearlings, $6.00@6.75; wethers, $5.00@5.25; ewes, $4.00@5.00; lambs, $6.50@7.35.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; weak; natives, $5.25@6.30; Texas and westerns, $4.25@6.00; cows and heifers, $3.00@5.85; bulls, $3.75@5.00; veal, $3.00@7.00; yearlings and calves, $3.40@4.50; stockers and feeders, $4.25@5.25. HOGS—Receipts, 9,400; 10c lower; light and light mixed, $5.75@6.15; medium and heavy, $5.80@6.35; top, $6.35; pigs, $4.00@4.75; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.25. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; steady to weak; lambs, $6.40@7.45; yearlings and wethers, $5.15@6.85; ewes, $4.00@4.90.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; weak, 10c lower; beeves, $4.00@6.00; fat cows and heifers, $3.75@5.00; butcher's stock, $3.00@3.75; canners and cutters, $2.00@2.75; veals, $3.00@7.25; bulls, $2.50@4.50; feeders, $3.50@5.00; yearlings, $3.50@4.40; stockers, $2.85@3.50; heifers, $2.25@3.25. HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; 10@15c lower; $5.50@6.20; bulk, $5.85@6.00. SHEEP—Receipts, 500; weak.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—CATTLE—None here. VEALS—Receipts, 200; active; 50c higher, $7.00@10.50. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 8,200; lambs slow, 10c lower; sheep active, firm; lambs, $5.25@7.90; sheep, $2.50@6.00. HOGS—Receipts, 3,740; active at 10@15c lower; Yorkers, $6.50@6.70; pigs, $6.40@6.50; heavies, $6.75@6.80; roughs, $5.65@5.80.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—BEEVES—Receipts, 918; none on sale; feeling nominally steady. CALVES—Receipts, 387; none on sale; feeling nominally firm. SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 6,690; sheep steady; lambs dull and unchanged; Buffalo lambs sold at $8.00 per 100 lbs; culls at $5.50. HOGS—Receipts, 3,056; none on sale; weak.

Hides and Wool.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—HIDES—Demand was quiet and prices were unchanged. Quotations:

	Per lb.		Per lb.
Light green and salted, full cured	10@10¼c	Kip No. 1	11½c
Damaged green, salted	9@9½c	Kip No. 2	9½c
Green No. 1	8@8¼c	Dry flint	14c
Green No. 2	7@7¼c	Dry calf	21c
Salted bull hides, damaged	7c	No. 2 dry	13c
No. 1 calf	13¼c	Glue stock	2@3c
No. 2 calf	12c	Horse hides— Pony hides, each	$1.00
No. 2 calf, damaged	12c	No. 1	$3.00
		No. 2	$2.00

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—WOOL—All offerings of staple wools met with a steady demand at unchanged prices. Quotations:

Idaho and Oregon—		Coarse	24@26c
Fine	15@18c	Burry, dingy, etc.	20@21c
Fine medium or half blood	18@20c	Unwashed from all bright wool districts—	
Coarse	18@20c	Fine delaine	21@23c
Dakota, Kansas, and Nebraska—		Fine clothing, light	18@20c
Fine	16@18c	Fine heavy	15@16c
Fine medium or half blood	18@20c	Fine medium or half blood	24@26c
Coarse	18@20c	Medium or ⅜@¼ blood	25@27c
Wyoming and Utah—		Low combing	21@22c
Fine medium or half blood	16@18c	Braid	18@22c
Colorado, Nevada, and Washington—		Semi-bright wools from north and northwestern Iowa, Minnesota, and other sections—	
Fine heavy	15@16c	Fine heavy	14@16c
Fine medium or half blood	16@17c	Fine light	16@18c
Medium or ⅜@¼ blood	20@22c	Fine medium or half blood	18@20c
Tub washed— Average	30@33c	Medium or ⅜@¼ blood	22@24c
Medium	33@36c		

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 18.—WOOL—Firm; medium grades, combing, and clothing, 19@24c; light fine, 16@20c heavy fine, 10@16c; tub washed, 23@32c.

Chicago Horse Market.

Heavy draft horses were in excessive supply and prices weakened slightly, but the medium weight offerings suitable for the western trade continued in active request at firm prices. Small southern chunks at from $65.00@115.00 also came in for a brisk demand at firm prices, while the mule trade had a healthy undertone, with all desirable offerings finding an outlet at from $75.00@200.00 for light to heavy truck classes. The heavy draft horses sold at from $165.00@190.00, with strictly choice offerings at from $200.00@225.00. Farm mares and commercial classes sold at from $130.00@175.00. Receipts for the week thus far were estimated at 2,256 head, against actual arrivals of 2,577 a week ago, and 2,571 a year ago. Shipments aggregated 1,674 head, against 2,298 head a week ago, and 1,604 head a year ago.

IN THE PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The market was again weak, with graded eggs 1½c lower. The demand was slow, dealers and shippers expecting still lower values. Receipts were 5,710 cases. Quotations:

Prime firsts	27c	Do firsts	26c
Extras, 80 per cent fresh	29c	Do ordinary firsts	24c
		Do seconds	19c

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—EGGS—Weak; receipts, 8,573 cases; state, Pennsylvania, and nearby fancy, select white, 34c; do fair to choice, 32@33c; brown and mixed fancy, 32c; do fair to choice, 30@31c; western firsts, 30c; seconds, 29½c. Eggs in Philadelphia—Two cents lower; Pennsylvania and other nearby firsts, free cases, 30c at mark; do current receipts in returnable cases, 29c at mark; western firsts, free cases, 30c at mark; do curent receipts, free cases, 28@29c at mark.

BUTTER.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—A fair demand existed for butter, but supplies were ample and no changes were made in prices. Quotations:

Dairies, extra	25c	Do firsts	25c
Creameries, extras	28c	Do seconds	21c
Extra, firsts	27c	Packing goods	19c

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—BUTTER—Firmer; receipts, 4,461 tubs; creamery specials, 31@31½c [official, 31c]; extras, 30@30½c; third to first, 22@29c. Butter in Philadelphia—Steady; extra western creamery, 30c; do nearby prints, 32c.

CHEESE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Receipts were light and jobbers are in the market for small sizes, keeping offerings well cleaned up. Undertone continues strong. Quotations:

Western twins	14@14½c	Longhorns	16@16½c
Daisies	15@15½c	Swiss	13¼@15c
Young Americas	15¼@16c	Limburger	11@14c

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—CHEESE—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 843 pkgs. Cheese in Philadelphia—Firm; New York full creams, choice, 14⅝@15c; do fair to good, 14@14½c.

POULTRY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The demand for live and dressed poultry was not as brisk, but there were no changes in prices. Arrivals were moderate. Quotations:

Live chickens	14c	Dressed chickens	14½@16c
Do springs	15½c	Do turkeys	19@23c
Do turkeys	17c	Do ducks	10@15c
Do geese	8@10c	Do geese	10@11c
Do ducks	14½c		

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—POULTRY—Alive, strong; western chickens, 13c; fowls, 15c; turkeys, 12@18c. Dressed, firm; western chickens, 12@16c; fowls, 14⅝@16c; turkeys, 16@23c.

VEGETABLES.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Old cabbage prices were higher as the result of more firmly held stocks. Potatoes were more freely offered and prices were 1c lower. Receipts were 62 cars. In other lines there was not much feature. Quotations:

Asparagus, box	$8.00@10.00	Potatoes, bu	80@91c
Beets, sacks	60@65c	Do new, brl	$6.50@7.00
Carrots, sacks	65@75c	Do sweet	$2.75@3.00
Cabbage, per brl	$1.50@2.50	Peppers, per bu	$3.50@4.00
Do old ton	$30.00@38.00	Radishes, doz bunches	20@60c
Cauliflower, per box	$1.50@2.00	Turnips, sacks	50@75c
Celery, box	$1.00@1.75	Spinach, brl	$8.00@10.00
Lettuce, per brl	$2.50@5.00	String beans, choice, per hamper	$1.50@4.00
Do leaf, box	40c	Pea beans, bu	$1.95@2.44
Onions, box	50@60c	Tomatoes, case	$1.50@3.25

FRUITS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Trade was fairly active at steady prices. Offerings were fair. Strawberries were in moderate supply. Quotations:

Apples, brl	$2.50@5.50	Cranberries, per brl	$11.00@12.00
Bananas, per bunch	65c@$1.45	Pineapples, crate	$2.00
Lemons, box	$2.00@2.75	Strawberries, qt	25@40c
Oranges, box	$1.50@2.75		

HAY.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Steady. Receipts, 935 tons; shipments, 72 tons. Choice timothy hay, $12.50@13.00; No. 1 timothy, $11.50@12.00; No. 2 timothy, $10.00@11.00; No. 3 timothy, $9.50@10.00; Kansas and Oklahoma prairie, choice, $11.00@11.50; No. 1, $10.00@11.00; Nebraska, choice, $9.50@10.00; No. 1, $9.00@9.50; Iowa and Minnesota, choice, $8.50@9.00; No. 1, $7.50@8.00; lower grades, $7.00@7.50. Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin feeding prairie, good to choice, $6.50@7.00. Packing hay, $5.00@5.50.

STRAW.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Rye, $7.50@8.00; wheat, $6.00@6.50; oats, $6.50@7.00.

Groceries.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Steadiness prevailed in the market for canned goods and dried fruits, while an easier undertone developed in the price of syrups and molasses and firmness featured dealings in flour, corn meal, rolled oats, navy beans, and head rice. The outward movement of all kinds of staple groceries continued of large volume and more business was being transacted than at this time last year. There was little or no speculative demand, however, and values were slow to respond to the increased business.

Sugar and Coffee.

SUGAR.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Demand for refined goods was of moderate volume and values were weakly held. Following were the ruling prices in wholesale circles, quotations being on 100 lb lots: Standard granulated, beet and cane, $4.70@4.90; cut loaf, H. & E., $5.75; standard powdered, $5.15; extra C, $4.40; canary, $4.25; chemically pure milk sugar, 16c per lb in brl lots.

COFFEE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Jobbers were in receipt of fair out of town orders, and there was a moderate demand for desirable roasted offerings on local account. Offerings on the market were of sufficient volume to meet all requirements and values remained at an unchanged level.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—COFFEE—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 8@8½c; Santos No. 4, 8⅝c. Mild steady; Cordova, 9½@13c. Futures opened steady, unchanged to 5 points lower in response to easier French cables, and ruled around the opening figures under scattered realizing in the absence of important support. The close was steady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales, 14,750 bags, including March at 6.45c; May, 6.45@6.50c; July, 6.30c; September, 5.90@5.95c; and October, 5.85c.

Dry Goods.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—The John V. Farwell company says of the dry goods trade: "The third excursion for merchants, which started last Saturday, bids fair to eclipse all former gatherings of buyers at this season. They come with memoranda for practically all departments and call for immediate shipment in nearly every instance. That this is a gingham season is evident from the large number of reorders and house sales in this department, and the call for white goods and linen finished suitings is also especially marked. Sales of yard goods in curtain nets are increasing both in volume and in the number of pieces sold to each buyer. The light gilt effects in dress trimmings are popular. The new two and three button styles in elastic belts, trimmed with leather to match, are taking well, and the demand for large satin covered buttons and ruchings continues strong. A significant move was made this week by one of the large mills which withdrew its lines of cotton blankets, shakers, mottled flannels, and outings for fall, having sold its entire 1909 production. Three other mills withdrew from sale their lines of best ginghams for fall, all well known brands. Our special men, who have just started out with blanket lines for fall, are meeting with pronounced success, and especially are the new perfected wool finished cotton blankets winning praise for their softness and rich border designs."

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The dry goods primary market is generally quiet on cotton goods of a coarse character, but the finer varieties are being sold steadily. The jobbers are doing a good trade in wash goods, white goods, dress goods, and silks. Hosiery and knit goods are more active. In the men's wear division there is still a larger business being placed with the largest agencies. Many of the smaller mills have closed their initial trading for the fall season.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—COTTON—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.85c; middling gulf, 10.10c; sales, 100 bales. After easing off to a decline of about 2@4 points the market steadied on reports of a better demand from New England mills, but showed little rallying power, and last prices were at practically the lowest on the old crop months. Southern spot markets officially reported early were generally unchanged. Futures opened steady and closed steady. Quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
March	9.54	9.57	9.50	9.51	9.53
May	9.54	9.55	9.48	9.48	9.52
July	9.53	9.55	9.48	9.48	9.51
August	9.40	9.40	9.40	9.41	9.43
October	9.39	9.41	9.34	9.34	9.37
December	9.34	9.36	9.30	9.30	9.32
January	9.33	9.33	9.27	9.27	9.30

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 18.—COTTON—Spot quiet, unchanged; middling, 9 7-16c. Sales on the spot, 650 bales, and to arrive, 300 bales. Futures opened steady at an advance of 1 to 2 points on favorable cables. It was a holiday market, the Mardi Gras festivities interfering with it to no small effect. The market will be closed Saturday, Monday, and Tuesday, and this stretch of idleness will be followed by the first notice day for March on Wednesday. From a level of 3 to 5 points above yesterday's closing, prices were forced down until they stood at a net decline of 4 to 7 points. The closing was steady at a decline of 4 to 6 points. Low ordinary, 5 3-16c nominal; ordinary 6c, nominal; good, ordinary, 7 7-16c; low middling, 8 11-16c; middling, 9 7-16c; good middling, 9 15-16c; middling fair, 10 5-16c; fair, 11 1-16c, nominal. Receipts, 3,922 bales; stock, 304,005 bales.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Closing: COTTON—Spot, quiet; prices, 2 points lower; American middling, fair, 5.68c; good middling, 5.32c; middling, 5.12c; low middling, 4.92c; good ordinary, 4.52c; ordinary, 4.17c. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 4,700 American. Receipts, 30,000 bales, including 29,600 American. Futures opened steady and closed quiet. February, 5.04½c; February-March, 5.04c; March-April, 5.05c; April-May, 5.06c; May-June, 5.07½c; June-July, 5.08½c; July-August, 5.09c; August-September, 5.08½c; September-October, 4.99½c; October-November, 4.97c; November-December, 4.95c; December-January, 4.94c; January-February, 4.93c.

Oils.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—OIL—Wholesale price for carbon and other oils: Standard white, 150, 9⅝c; perfection, 150, 10½c; headlight, 175, 11⅝c; eocene, 12c; Michigan test, w. w., 11½c; p. w., 10½c; gasoline, 13c; machine gasoline, 24c; raw linseed oil, single brls, 55c; 5 brl lots, 54c; bottled, brl, 56c; 5 brl lots, 55c; summer black oil, 7¾c; winter black oil, 8½c; turpentine, single brls, 46½c. These quotations apply to brl lots f. o. b. Chicago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—PETROLEUM—Steady; refined, all ports, $8.45@8.50. COTTON SEED OIL—Weak; crude, $4.33; yellow, crude, $5.88@5.45; May, $5.63@5.65.

OIL CITY, Pa., Feb. 18.—Credit balances, $1.78; runs, 66,190; average, 123,303; shipments, 52,815; average, 175,152.

TOLEDO, O., Feb. 18.—OIL—North Lima, $1.04; South Lima and Indiana, 99c.

Resin, Turpentine.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. 18.—TURPENTINE—Steady; 40⅜c; sales, 64 casks; receipts, 118 casks; shipments, 218 casks. RESIN—Firm; sales, 847 brls; receipts, 859 brls; shipments, 206 brls; stock, 162,168 brls. Quote: B, $3.05; D, $3.07½; E, $3.10; F, $3.12½; G, $3.15; H, $3.45; I, $3.95; K, $4.95; M, $5.70; N, $6.20; W. G., $6.40; W. W., $6.45.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Feb. 18.—TURPENTINE—Quiet, 40¼c. RESIN—Quiet. Quote: A, B, C, $3.00; D, $3.02½; E, $3.05; F, $3.07½; G, $3.10; H, $3.40; I, $3.90; K, $4.90; M, $5.65; N, $6.15; W. G., $6.35; W. W., $6.40.

Metals.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The London tin market had a sharp break, with spot quoted at £129 5s and futures at £130 12s 6d. Locally the market was easy at $28.60@28.80. COPPER—Was lower in London, with spot quoted at £57 16s 3d, futures, £58 12s 6d. The local market was dull and showed a continued declining tendency, with lake quoted at $13.25@13.50, electrolytic at $12.87½@13.00, and casting at $12.75@12.87½. LEAD—Dull and unchanged here and in London. SPELTER—Advanced to £21 10s in London, but was unchanged at $4.85@4.90 locally. IRON—Declined to 47s 9d for Cleveland warrants in London. The local market was without further change. ANTIMONY—Quiet and featureless, with prices holding steady. Prices are $7.75@8.00 for Cookson's, $7.75@8.00 for Hallett's, and $7.50@7.75 for ordinary brands. The London market is quiet, with £32 quoted for Hallett's and £30 10s for ordinary brands.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 18.—LEAD—Dull, $3.85@3.87½. SPELTER—Dull, $4.80.

Whisky.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—WHISKY—Steady, on a basis of $1.35 for finished goods.

MEETING OF JUDGES DELAYED.

More Charges of Breaches of Judicial Conduct Believed to Have Been Made Against Cleland.

The meeting of the judges of the Municipal court scheduled yesterday afternoon for the consideration of the report of the committee investigating the work of Judge McKenzie Cleland with especial reference to his effort toward establishing a parole system was postponed until this afternoon. No reason was assigned for the delay, but it was believed additional charges of breaches of judicial conduct had been made before the committee. The meeting will take place at 3:30 o'clock in the Municipal Court building.

GET ANNEX FOR NEW STORE

Rothschild & Co. Lease Provides Wabash Avenue Entrance.

PLANS FACTORY BUILDING.

E. Katzinger to Erect Fine Structure on Washington Street.

Rothschild & Co. are to have a Wabash avenue entrance to the new store which they plan to erect at State and Van Buren streets.

They have just signed an agreement for a ninety-nine years' lease with the Lewis S. Perry estate covering the property at 267-269 Wabash, ninety feet north of Van Buren street.

The property fronts forty-five feet with a depth of 171 feet, and is improved with a four story and basement building. The lease, which becomes operative May 1 next, provides for an annual rental of $12,000 for the first ten years, $14,000 for the succeeding ten years, and $16,000 for the remaining seventy-nine years of the term.

It also is provided that the lessee company is to erect within ten years a steel construction building not less than eight stories high and to cost not less than $150,000.

Rothschild & Co. also deposited $50,000 in securities to insure the carrying out of the terms of the lease. The negotiations were conducted by Robert E. Ismond.

The average annual rental is $15,393, which is 4 per cent on $384,825, or at the rate of a little over $8,500 a front foot. The board of review valued the property at $272,555.

Calls Chicagoans Indifferent.

At the weekly luncheon of the Cook county real estate board, W. D. Moody, business manager of the Chicago Association of Commerce, asserted Chicago was suffering from the indifference of its people, who do not realize what a wonderful city they have.

He expressed the opinion that in fifty years Chicago will be the greatest city in this country, and that in 100 years it will be the greatest city in the world.

Its growth in the brief span of its existence, he contended, was without a parallel, and its magnificent advantages point to an even more marvelous growth in the future.

He made a plea for the city beautiful plans of D. H. Burnham, and urged hearty co-operation in all great movements looking to the development of the city.

Plan Fine Factory Building.

A ten story steel and concrete construction factory building is to be erected at the southwest corner of Washington and Sangamon streets as the result of the sale of that corner, which was closed during the day.

The ground, seventy-six feet on Washington and 120 feet on Sangamon street, with old improvements, was purchased by Edward Katzinger from Silas Q. Perry for $30,200 cash.

The building, which is expected to cost about $150,000, owing to existing leases will not be erected probably until next year.

It will be of the highest grade of factory construction and will be in charge of Alex. Friend & Co., who negotiated the sale of the property.

Lillie S. Baker has purchased from Michael B. Cassiere the apartment house property in Sheridan road, 146 feet south of Wilson avenue, with 50x150 feet of ground, east front, for a nominal consideration, but subject to an incumbrance of $17,400, assumed.

Other Deals of the Day.

The property in Hermitage avenue, 46 feet south of Leland avenue, 46x165 feet, west front, with flat improvements, which early in the week was conveyed by Margaret True to Frederick Koropp for $19,000, has been conveyed by Koropp to Caroline M. Schwartz for the same consideration, subject to an incumbrance of $10,000.

William Bross Lloyd has leased to Matthew Fecher the property at the northeast corner of Sixty-third street and Ellis avenue, 180x125 feet, for a term from May 1 to April 30, 1934, for a total rental of $42,250 and all taxes.

The Werner Bros. Express and Storage company has borrowed through Lackner & Butz Sons $40,000, five years, at 5½ per cent, on their property at 16-24 Evanston avenue. They plan to erect a large addition to their warehouse.

The Britten & Ortseifen company has been awarded a contract for the construction of a new dance pavilion at the South Shore Country club, to cost $35,000, and to be completed in ninety days.

Real Estate Transfers.

ROGERS PARK.

Fargo-av., 500 w of Perry-st., s f, 50x160, Feb. 10 [M. A. Mueller to William E. White] ... $5,500
Farwell-av., 288 w of Central-st., n f, 37½x170⅛, Feb. 15 [Edgar L. Corlies to Albin G. Swanson] ... 1,000
Farwell-av., 245 e of Ridge, s f, 50x171, Sept. 17, 1908 [P. Blesins to Anton Schneider] ... 1

LAKE VIEW.

Carmen-av., n e cor Southport, s f, 51x150, Feb. 2 [Estate J. Wieska to Gustav Sexauer] ... 1,025
Evanston-av., n w cor Norwood, e f, 29x129, incumb. $1,013, June 6, 1908 [Ellen Dean to George M. Delaney] ... 2,500
Euclid-av., 256 n of Granville, e f, 30x120, Feb. 15 [H. A. Goodrich to Christiana Hoermann] ... 1,200
Foster-av., 240 e of Clark-st., s f, 30x125, Feb. 11 [F. S. Heinrichs to Albert M. Johnson] ... 1,200
Hermitage-av., 46 s of Leland, w f, 46x165, incumb. $10,000, Feb 13 [F. Koropp to Caroline M. Schwartz] ... 19,000
Sheridan-rd., 146 s of Wilson-av., e f, 50x150, incumb. $17,400 assumed, Feb. 15 [Michael B. Cassiere to Lillie S. Baker] ... 1
Winchester-av., 130 n of Cullom, e f, 30x152, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 15 [E. K. Siegmond to Ida Flood] ... 8,000
Alta Vista-terrace, 170 s of Byron-st., e f, 24x40, Feb. 15 [F. Hamlin to William Heffernan] ... 1
Belmont-av., 192 w of Paulina-st., s f, 24x125, Feb. 10 [W. F. Roos to J. T. Lindholm] ... 2,400
Cornelia-av., 226 e of Southport, n f, 30x125, Feb. 8 [J. Oliver to Reinhold Kuehns] ... 1,500
Diversey-ct., 98 s of Diversey-blvd., w f, 25x124, Feb. 8 [E. F. Mitchell to Charles W. Remer] ... 1,900
Elston-av., 250 s e of Humboldt-blvd., n e f, 25x125, Feb. 8 [J. C. Morris to August J. Thaler] ... 750
School-st., 164 e of Ashland-av., n f, 27x125, Feb. 15 [W. Jacobs to William C. Osterreich] ... 1,200

JEFFERSON.

Bernard-av., n w cor Sunnyside, e f, 24x125, Jan. 30 [A. H. Hill to Lena Sulken] ... 5,000
N. 43d-av., 65 s of Greenwood-terrace, e f, 50x125, Feb. 16 [G. Gustafson to Anna Soderstrom and Mary Heim] ... 900
Wilson-av., 248 w of Albany, s f, 30x120, Jan. 30 [A. H. Messing to Nels O. Olson] ... 900

NORTH TOWN.

Webster-av., n w cor Osgood-st., s f, 48x65, Feb. 16 [Margaret T. Hersley to James Brennan] ... 9,700

SOUTH TOWN.

Halsted-st., 97 n of 36th, w f, 24x123, incumb. $2,100, Feb. 17 [Louis Gornstein to Samuel Bloom] ... 3,700
South Park-av., 200 s of 32d-st., w f, 16x164, Feb. 16 [Ella G. Hull Fuller of New York City to Lulu K. Green of New York City] ... 1
30th-pl., 24 e of Stewart-av., n f, 46x100, m. or l., Dec. 30, 1908 [Eleanor G. May to George C. Munch] ... 1,000
31st-st., 50 w of 5th-av., s f, 50x110, m. or l., incumb. $10,500, Feb. 15 [Theodore Oehne to Axel E. Lindskog] ... 17,500
31st-st., 41 w of Lincoln, n f, 100x125, m. or l., Feb. 12 [J. E. Bullard to Susie O. Canevin] ... 1,200
38th-st., s e cor Wood, n f, 49x124, Feb. 11 [V. Niesyto to Joseph Rak] ... 10,500
Wentworth-av., 360 s of 35th-st., w f, 24x120, Feb. 11 [A. Cozzi et al. to Antonio Cozzio] ... 2,000
Wentworth-av., 336 s of 35th-st., w f, 24x120, Feb. 12 [A. Cozzi et al. to Francesco Russo] ... 7,000
Wentworth-av., 384 s of 35th-st., w f, 24x120, Feb. 11 [A. Cozzi et al. to Antonio Cozzi] ... 2,000
Wabash-av., 8 flat bldgs, known as 2412, 2414, 2416, 2420, 2422, 2424, 2426, 2428 Wabash-av., and 2 story cottage in the rear of 2412 Wabash-av., leased by James B. Close to Jesse Binga, term May 1, 1909, to April 30, 1914, total rental ... 21,600

HYDE PARK.

Dated Jan. 25, 1909, 63d-st., n e cor Ellis-av., s f, 180x125, leased by William Bross Lloyd to Matthew Fecher, May 1, 1909, to April 30, 1934; total rental, $42,250 and all taxes ... .
Avenue J, 30 n of 100th-st., w f, 25x125, Feb. 15 [J. Osterberg to Robert Brubbe] ... 1,000
Ellis-av., n w cor 56th-st., e f, 24x130, Feb. 9 [W. F. Cooper to Frank Seitz] ... 2,500
4284 Evans-av., Feb. 16 [E. S. Swanson to L. R. Wilbur] ... 2,500
Jackson-av., 240 n of 57th-st., e f, 48x100⅛, incumb. $7,000, Jan. 30 [O. Peltzer to Oscar E. Peltzer et al., trustee] ... 1
Kimbark-av., 160 s of 57th-st., e f, 20 ft 9 in x179⅛, incumb. $2,500, March 17, 1908 [William B. Walrath to Emma Harmeyer] ... 1
Prairie-av., 96 s of 70th-st., w f, 24x160⅛, Feb. 17 [Thomas Jackson to Marea Elizabeth Jackson, wife of the grantor] ... 1

LAKE.

S. 45th-av., s e cor 30th-st., w f, 350x125, Feb. 11 [McAvoy Brewing Co. to Peter Metzelder] ... 700
57th-st., s e cor May, n f, 74.8x96, Nov. 19, 1908 [Mary S. Larocque to Henry S. Saxe] ... 4,500
S. 43d-av., n e cor 56th-st., w f, 25x125, Feb. 3 [F. H. Hamlin to Henry Overy] ... 2,000
Paulina-st., 210 n of 47th, e f, 24x124, Feb. 16 [J. Licskiewicz to F. Carr] ... 3,000
Same ppty., Feb. 16 [F. Carr to Amalia Licskiewicz] ... 3,000
Bishop-st., 166 s of 63d, w f, 25x124, Feb. 9 [H. L. Salisbury to Nellie A. Dodson] ... 700
Carpenter-st., 24 n of 68th, w f, 73x124, Jan. 4 [E. R. Ludlum to Donald Ross Jr.] ... 1,440
Center-av., 222 s of 68th-st., w f, 25x124, Feb. 17 [K. Flynn to John W. Malloy] ... 2,800
Green-st., 175 s of 62d, e f, 25x126, Feb. 9 [G. E. Gould to Frank Wiewold] ... 4,000
Honore-st., s e cor 69th, w f, 50x128, Feb. 9 [C. T. & T. Co., trustee, to Arthur Allen] ... 800
Parnell-av., 240 n of 70th-st., e f, 50x125, June 16, 1908 [F. E. Ellis to Gordon C. Bartlett] ... 4,000

CALUMET.

110th-pl., 163 e of Perry-av., s f, 37½x125 and o. p., Feb. 11 [Nancee Nannings to Arthur Brown et al.] ... 5,300
Same ppty., Feb. 12 [A. Brown to Johanna Nannings] ... 5,300

WEST TOWN.

Churchill-st., 116 w of Robey, n f, 52x106, incumb. $1,100, Feb. 11 [Andrew N. Engle to American Glove company] ... 10
Division-st., W., 71, n f, 25x150, Feb. 17 [J. Berendt to John Kutyna] ... 4,025
Division-st., 50 w of Maplewood-av., s f, 25x125, Feb. 11 [John Hanzlik to Molly Handler] ... 4,500
Dunning-st., W., 9, Feb. 17 [L. Jaeger to Samuel A. Strauss] ... 1
Maplewood-av., 250 n of Potomac, e f, 24x126, incumb. $4,600, Feb. 11 [Molly Handler to John Hanzlik] ... 5,000
Augusta-st., 275 w of Campbell-av., n f, 27½x124, Feb. 15 [C. Winkelhaken to August J. Pergrande] ... 5,200
Ayers-av., 150 s of Ohio-st., e f, 25x125, Feb. 9 [Rose E. Schueneman to Annie G. McMahon] ... 3,170
Center-av., n w cor Division-st., e f, 59 acres, m. or l., Jan. 8 [Mrs. Louise Todd Hauge of Washington, D. C., to James Ross Todd of Louisville, Ky.] ... 1
Huron-st., 83 e of Drake-av., s f, 25x125, Jan. 15 [G. W. Ingrish to Harry Bierma] ... 1,000
Lawndale-av., 226 n of Thomas-st., w f, 50x124, Feb. 17 [W. McDonald to August Menge] ... 700
North-av., s w cor N. 40th-ct., n f, 51x125, Jan. 20 [J. Gibson to August Moldenhauer] ... 4,000
Park-av., 240 e of S. 46th, s f, 25x100, incumb. $1,800, Feb. 1 [Jno. M. Hoffman to Lottie M. Roberts] ... 3,200
Grand-av., 50 e of May-st., n f, 25x110, Dec. 21, 1908 [H. M. McNally to Frank Brauen] ... 5,000
Harrison-st., n w cor S. 43d-av., s f, 50x124, Jan. 28 [E. B. Sheldon to Richard F. Conboy] ... 3,000
Homan-av., 75 n of 16th-st., w f, 25x124, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 16 [Jno. E. Kingsbury to Conrad Zingg] ... 5,000
Hoyne-av., 187 s of Adams-st., w f, 47x126, Feb. 6 [M. L. Russell to Chas. E. Hagmann] ... 3,350
Lexington-st., 212 e of Leavitt, n f, 48x125, Feb. 16 [Hervey C. Lee ta al. to Wm. P. Dowdall] ... 8,000
Loomis-st., 138 s of Adams, w f, 25x120, Jan. 23 [Prairie State Bk. to Julius Kiper] ... 4,000
Ogden-av., n w cor Robey-st., s e f, 26x40x51x81, m. or l., Feb. 13 [Est. of Philip Lynch to Millard S. Carpenter] ... 14,000
Ohio-st., 96 e of Paulina, n f, 24x100, m. or l., incumb. $1,000, Feb. 17 [Mary Howard to Augusta Brignadello] ... 3,000
Spaulding-av., 195 s of Douglas-blvd., w f, 25x125, incumb. $1,500, Feb. 17 [R. McInerney to Moses Sideman] ... 7,000
Taylor-st., 99 w of Wood, s f, 25x162, incumb. $4,000, Feb. 16 [Rosie Schlapik to Harry Haffron et al.] ... 8,000
Troy-st., 156 s of 13th, e f, 36x125, Feb. — [Jacob Kasofsky to Isaac and Jennie E. Zechman] ... 2,000
12th-st., 97 e of Homan-av., n f, 50x125, Feb. 17 [Adam Knopf to Jno. B. Adams] ... 3,000
S. 40th-av., 210 s of 26th-st., w f, 60x125, Feb. 5 [G. H. Glover to John Najdl] ... 1,450
Frank-st., 451 w of Waller, n f, 24x100, und. ½ int., Feb. 15 [B. Karmel to Mandel Sacks] ... 1,100
Harding-av., 214 s of 30th-st., e f, 28x125, Jan. 18 [J. A. Holpuch to Marie Matousek] ... 2,650
Kedzie-av., 275 n of 13th-st., w f, 25x125, Feb. 16 [C. A. Clarke to Samuel Polakow] ... 1,500
Sangamon-st., 240 n of Maxwell, e f, 24x100, incumb. $3,000, Feb. 15 [L. Greenberg to Jno. C. Krasa] ... 3,000
Same property, Feb. 16 [J. C. Krasa to Israel Kadlsevitz] ... 3,000
25th-st., 288 n e of Leavitt, n w f, 24x100, Feb. 11 [J. M. Hards to Henry Tobarg] ... 600
Waller-st., No. 7, e f, 26x100, and bldgs., incumb. $5,000, Feb. 17 [Cadalia D. Goldstein et al. to Charles Yedor] ... 18,000
Washburne-av., 288 e of Wood-st., n f, 24x125, Feb. 15 [Jos. Sima to Louis S. Cohen] ... 4,500
Kedzie-av., s w cor Colorado-av., e f, 74x158, Feb. 16, 5 years, 5 per cent [James L. McKeever to Wallace L. De Wolf, trustee] ... 25,000
Washburne-av., 288 e of Wood-st., n f, 24x125, Feb. 15 [L. S. Cohen to David Denison] ... 4,500

Building Permits.

2149 Wilcox-av., 2 story brick flats; Daniel J. O'Brien ... $5,000
148-52 40th-av., 2 story brick; Bromide Portrait company ... 25,000
52 W. 14th-st., 2 story brick addition, M. Kausels ... 4,000
845 74th-st., 2 story brick dwellings; William Secker ... 2,000
Rear 888-91 W. Superior-st., 1 story brick private barn; Pfeiffer Brewing company ... 4,000
284 North-av., 1 story brick theater; Hyman Bros. ... 12,000
2941-43 N. Hermitage-av., 1½ story frame cottage; Alfred Johnson ... 2,000
7461 W. Madison-st., 2 story brick flats; C. Kramski ... 4,500
1200-10 Granville-av., 1 and 2 story brick store and offices; H. G. Parkam ... 10,000
6406-8 Seeley-av., two 1 and one 2 story frame cottages; O. C. Hansen ... 3,000

COLLECTION OF ART GOODS CONFISCATED BY UNCLE SAM.

Will Be Sold at Public Auction Unless the New York Board of Appraisers Interferes.

Six large boxes full of valuable pieces of art, some of them especially for ecclesiastical use, seized by the government several months ago, were confiscated yesterday. The entire lot will be sold at public auction unless the board of appraisers sitting in New York overrules the appraisement of $7,000 made on it by Thomas O'Shaughnessy, the local appraiser.

The government authorities at first believed the seized articles were rare art pieces which had been stolen from French monasteries, but it was found that the goods were not of such immense value as at first believed, and that the articles for ecclesiastical use were not antique but new.

Among the articles in the collection are: An ecclesiastical robe; a panel of the Madonna and child; several altar cloths; and Turkish and Persian rugs of the fifteenth century. They were imported by V. Benguiat, a fine art dealer in New York, who invoiced them at $2,500. The customs officials decided that the goods were of a higher value than had been placed on them by their owner.

ORGANIZE TO QUIZ SHERIFF.

County Board Committee Appointed to Investigate Charges Against Strassheim Adjourns Till Tuesday.

After meeting yesterday and organizing, the special committee of the county board appointed to investigate charges against Sheriff Strassheim adjourned until Tuesday. An opinion from the county attorney covering the power and duties of the county board will be given to the committee before the next meeting.

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TESTIMONY [...] IN PORTLAN[D]

Northern and Uni[...] Passenger Agents [...] Row Over Throug[h ...]

S. M. FELTON HER[E ...]

Twentieth Century [...]gins to Carry [...] Mail to New Y[ork ...]

The taking of evidence [...] gateway case was brought t[...] day. The hearing is to setti[...] contest between the Hill and [...] roads for the bulk of the pa[...] the Puget sound cities [...] whether the Northern Pac[...] quired to make through tick[...] gage arrangements with th[...] through Portland.

Interstate Commerce Com[...] heard testimony from gen[...] agents and local passenge[...] rival roads, each of whom [...] convenience of the public [...] vided for by the line which [...] In addition, the Union Pa[...] ticket agents from other roa[...] as to the difficulty of sellin[...] Union Pacific line after the[...] learned that he would have t[...] ticket and recheck his bag[...] before going on to Seattle.

The commissioner then ap[...] as the date for hearing fin[...] Washington, after which t[...] briefs will be taken under c[...] the full commission and a d[...]

Passenger Chiefs [...]

The most important witn[...] Eustis, passenger traffic ma[...] lington, which routes its pa[...] Northern Pacific via either [...] ings; Charles A. Cairns, g[...] and ticket agent of the Chi[...] western, which handles th[...] business from Chicago to O[...] iam McMurray, general pa[...] the Oregon Railroad and N[...] pany, the Harriman line into[...]

After the various ticket ag[...] the difficulties of selling tick[...] satisfaction expressed by [...] learning that they could no[...] service at Portland over the[...] F. C. Dillard, commerce coun[...] riman lines, brought out th[...] Pullman rate was larger th[...] through service were provid[...] passenger has to pay extra f[...] Portland to Seattle.

"In my opinion," he said [...] sion could order the Norther[...] Pullman and Union Pacific t[...] complete through service."

Claims Right to O[...]

The principal argument o[...] Pacific was that it built t[...] ought to be allowed the ad[...] Woodworth, traffic manage[...] the Oregon Railroad and N[...] pany would not join the No[...] equalizing the rates via Sp[...] Union Pacific would not ha[...] points west of the Missou[...] rates passengers moving be[...] its line and points east of the[...] that the Pennsylvania would [...] the Wabash or Lake Shore a[...] ness from Chicago, St. Loui[...] points on the Pennsylvania e[...] and several other cases.

Commissioner Prouty also [...] hearing of the lake and rail r[...] case, in which the Chicag[...] Commerce and Wyman, Pa[...] Minneapolis demanded that [...] carriers from points east of [...] indemnity for losses in tran[...] which the shippers could obta[...] surance. The commissione[...] carriers should be obliged to [...] by a bill of lading contract [...] that the uniform bill of ladin[...] fied in age clause to obtain [...]

Felton Back in C[...]

Samuel M. Felton, presid[...] can Central railway, and fo[...] of the Chicago and Alton, h[...] Mexico City to live in Chicag[...] that he would remain presi[...] can Central, but that the ac[...] and operation was under th[...] the National Railways com[...] of which E. N. Brown is p[...]

Rumors have been afloat [...] Mr. Felton would become [...] important capacity with [...] roads running out of Chic[...] he had no such plans at pr[...]

W. G. Lerch, who held t[...] ant to the president of the [...] accompanied Mr. Felton to [...] remain associated with h[...] capacity.

BIG GAIN FOR STATE [...] SHOWN BY AUDIT[...]

Increase of Deposits in S[...] Nearly $15,000,000—[...] Reserve to Deposits [...]

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb[...] An increase in seventy day[...] 000 in deposits in the fort[...] city of Chicago is shown [...] of those institutions compi[...] Auditor McCullough from [...] on Feb. 6. The statement [...] cent of reserve to deposits [...]

Following is a recapitul[...] ment, with a comparison w[...] last preceding report, on [...]

	Nov. 2[...]
Loans on real estate	$219,14[...]
Loans on collateral security	
Other loans and disc'ts	
Overdrafts	
United States bonds	87[...]
State, county, and municipal bonds	
Public service corporation bonds	
Other bonds	78,6[...]
Stocks of corporations	3,17[...]
Banking house	
Real estate other than banking house	2[...]
Furniture and fixtures	1[...]
Other resources	
Due from state banks	21,9[...]
Due from nat'n'l banks	52,1[...]
	Nov. 2[...]
Due from private and foreign banks	
Currency on hand	37,3[...]
Gold coin on hand	4,5[...]
Silver coin on hand	
Minor coin	
Exchanges for clearing house	6,7[...]
Checks and other cash items	3,1[...]
Total resources	$430,6[...]
LIABILITI[ES]	
Capital stock paid in	$ 33,2[...]
Surplus fund	20,2[...]
Undivided profits, net	8,5[...]
Deposits, time certificates	21,2[...]
Deposits, savings, subject to notice	148,2[...]
Deposits, demand, subject to check	143,4[...]
Deposits, demand certificates	7,8[...]
Deposits, certified checks	1,6[...]
Deposits, cashiers' checks	2,5[...]
Due to banks, including certificates of deposits—	
State	
National	34,3[...]
Private and foreign	7,1[...]
Dividends unpaid	
	Nov. [...]
Reserved for taxes and interest	
Bills payable	
Other liabilities	
Contingent fund	
Total liabilities	$430,6[...]

Total capital, surplus, c[...] undivided profits, $81,924,[...] 060.30.

Total deposits, $339,406,[...] 888.428.

Total cash and due fro[...] 891; increase, $12,168,408.

Per cent of reserve to [...]

TESTIMONY ENDS IN PORTLAND CASE.

Northern and Union Pacific Passenger Agents Explain Row Over Through Rates.

S. M. FELTON HERE TO LIVE

Twentieth Century Limited Begins to Carry Registered Mail to New York.

The taking of evidence in the Portland gateway case was brought to a close yesterday. The hearing is to settle the protracted contest between the Hill and Harriman railroads for the bulk of the passenger traffic to the Puget sound cities by determining whether the Northern Pacific shall be required to make through ticketing and baggage arrangements with the Union Pacific through Portland.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Prouty heard testimony from general passenger agents and local passenger agents of the rival roads, each of whom insisted that the convenience of the public was better provided for by the line which he represented. In addition, the Union Pacific introduced ticket agents from other roads, who testified as to the difficulty of selling tickets via the Union Pacific line after the passenger had learned that he would have to secure another ticket and recheck his baggage at Portland before going on to Seattle.

The commissioner then appointed April 7 as the date for hearing final arguments at Washington, after which the evidence and briefs will be taken under consideration by the full commission and a decision rendered.

Passenger Chiefs Testify.

The most important witnesses were P. S. Eustis, passenger traffic manager of the Burlington, which routes its passengers over the Northern Pacific via either St. Paul or Billings; Charles A. Cairns, general passenger and ticket agent of the Chicago and Northwestern, which handles the Union Pacific business from Chicago to Omaha; and William McMurray, general passenger agent of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company, the Harriman line into Portland.

After the various ticket agents had related the difficulties of selling tickets and the dissatisfaction expressed by passengers on learning that they could not secure through service at Portland over the Union Pacific, F. C. Dillard, commerce counsel for the Harriman lines, brought out the point that the Pullman rate was larger than it would be if through service were provided, because the passenger has to pay extra for the ride from Portland to Seattle.

"In my opinion," he said, "the commission could order the Northern Pacific to haul Pullman and Union Pacific cars so as to give complete through service."

Claims Right to Own Work.

The principal argument of the Northern Pacific was that it built the railroad and ought to be allowed the advantage. T. G. Woodworth, traffic manager, explained that the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company would not join the Northern Pacific in equalizing the rates via Spokane, that the Union Pacific would not handle via junction points west of the Missouri river at equal rates passengers moving between points on its line and points east of the Missouri river, that the Pennsylvania would not accept from the Wabash or Lake Shore at Pittsburg business from Chicago, St. Louis, or the west to points on the Pennsylvania east of Pittsburg, and several other cases.

Commissioner Prouty also took up the rehearing of the lake and rail marine insurance case, in which the Chicago Association of Commerce and Wyman, Partridge & Co. of Minneapolis demanded that the lake and rail carriers from points east of Buffalo furnish indemnity for losses in transit equal to that which the shippers could obtain by marine insurance. The commissioner said that the carriers should be obliged to assume liability by a bill of lading contract, and suggested that the uniform bill of lading might be modified in one clause to obtain this safeguard.

Felton Back in Chicago.

Samuel M. Felton, president of the Mexican Central railway, and formerly president of the Chicago and Alton, has returned from Mexico City to live in Chicago. He explained that he would remain president of the Mexican Central, but that the active management and operation was under the jurisdiction of the National Railways company of Mexico, of which E. N. Brown is president.

Rumors have been afloat to the effect that Mr. Felton would become identified in an important capacity with one of the large roads running out of Chicago. He declared he had no such plans at present.

W. G. Lerch, who held the title of assistant to the president of the Mexican Central, accompanied Mr. Felton to Chicago and will remain associated with him in a private capacity.

BIG GAIN FOR STATE BANKS SHOWN BY AUDITOR'S REPORT

Increase of Deposits in Seventy Days Is Nearly $15,000,000—Percentage of Reserve to Deposits Is 41.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—An increase in seventy days of over $14,500,000 in deposits in the forty-six banks in the city of Chicago is shown in the statement of those institutions compiled today by State Auditor McCullough from reports submitted on Feb. 6. The statement also shows the per cent of reserve to deposits to be 41.38.

Following is a recapitulation of the statement, with a comparison with the time of the last preceding report, on Nov. 28 last:

	Nov. 28, '08.	Feb. 6, '09.
Loans on real estate	$219,147,820	$7,622,949
Loans on collateral security	....	141,321,610
Other loans and disc'ts	....	64,890,280
Overdrafts	72,849	46,180
United States bonds	871,190	799,946
State, county, and municipal bonds	....	21,791,036
Public service corporation bonds	....	28,375,868
Other bonds	78,618,963	30,611,054
Stocks of corporations	....	4,958,867
Banking house	3,177,859	2,847,359
Real estate other than banking house	292,716	389,239
Furniture and fixtures	130,916	173,716
Other resources	....	412,419
Due from state banks	21,902,835	18,878,194
Due from nat'n'l banks	52,137,631	55,529,444
	Nov. 28, '08.	Feb. 6, '09.
Due from private and foreign banks	....	5,875,874
Currency on hand	37,341,963	35,784,777
Gold coin on hand	4,513,107	8,327,387
Silver coin on hand	346,200	3,591,644
Minor coin	134,244	67,786
Exchanges for clearing house	6,755,972	8,783,399
Checks and other cash items	3,169,499	3,631,532
Total resources	$430,608,310	$444,707,021
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in	$33,275,000	$33,025,000
Surplus fund	20,200,000	21,737,500
Undivided profits, net	8,510,808	7,125,459
Deposits, time certificates	21,226,054	26,514,415
Deposits, savings, subject to notice	148,262,243	153,598,644
Deposits, demand, subject to check	143,416,327	150,877,271
Deposits, demand certificates	7,867,494	4,414,385
Deposits, certified checks	1,647,442	1,587,903
Deposits, cashiers' checks	2,608,425	2,478,796
Due to banks, including certificates of deposits—		
State	34,356,400	17,493,937
National	7,954,956	10,033,684
Private and foreign	....	9,565,315
Dividends unpaid	5,057	12,028
	Nov. 28, '08.	Feb. 6, '09.
Reserved for taxes and interest	$433,589	$312,406
Bills payable	900,350	843,500
Other liabilities	....	5,055,275
Contingent fund	44,138	37,008
Total liabilities	$430,608,310	$444,707,021

Total capital, surplus, contingent fund, and undivided profits, $61,924,968; decrease, $104,-888.50.

Total deposits, $339,406,417; increase, $14,-886,428.

Total cash and due from banks, $140,469,-; increase, $12,168,498.

Per cent of reserve to deposits, 41.38 per cent.

STEEL BIG MARKET FACTOR

Wall Street Trading Turns on Industrial Status.

PRICE REDUCTION IS NEAR?

Common Issues Decline 2 Points; Active Railways Also Fall.

[NEW YORK TIMES FINANCIAL LEADER.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Today's stock market turned exclusively upon the steel situation. The general understanding in Wall street that conferences were under way which might result in the announcement of reductions in steel products led to heavy liquidation of steel stocks, particularly steel common, and weakness in prices. Steel common fell over 2 points, and illustrating the widespread influence of the decline there were similar losses by Union Pacific, Reading, St. Paul, and a number of other active shares.

An important factor in the unsettlement of prices was renewed selling by London. Over 40,000 shares of miscellaneous stocks, including a substantial block of steel common, came from this source, and direct pressure upon the steel group was also in evidence by houses which were associated in the Wall street mind with leading figures in the steel trade. Up to the close of business the outcome of the day's conferences among steel makers was not known, but there are two things to be borne in mind whatever the outcome of these deliberations may be.

No Light as to Steel Tariffs.

In the first place the treatment of steel in the new tariff program was entirely undisclosed. If cuts are made by producers tomorrow the tariff reductions a month from now may be such as to compel further cuts or possibly increases. This makes the situation a difficult one to handle, for it is perfectly plain that price reductions at this time might have no other effect upon consumers than to decide them to wait for possible further concessions which may have to follow the promulgation of the new tariff.

If in domestic affairs four movings are as good as a fire, certainly in the steel trade three changes in price schedules within an equal number of months are as good as demoralization in business. Again, if the reductions are determined upon they are what Wall street itself has declared were necessary to stimulation of business, so that Wall street is decidedly illogical in depressing prices upon the accomplishment of its own desires.

Other developments of the day were passed over with little or no attention. There was the usual reduction in prices of copper metal, and as an evidence of gradual improvement in business at large the Baltimore and Ohio, reporting for the month of January, noted a gain of $185,000 in gross revenues and $396,000 in net.

Money Quotations Unaffected.

Continuing the outflow of gold to Argentine for London account there was taken for shipment during the day $1,500,000, making over $9,000,000 secured for this destination since the inception of the movement. At the same time over $1,000,000 gold was taken from the Bank of England for export to South America, but from other sources the bank secured an equal amount. Further payments to the local subtreasury in anticipation of the recall of government deposits later in the month resulted in another loss to the banks on the day's movements of money, but money market quotations were unaffected.

Money on call easier, 2@2¼ per cent; ruling rate, 2¼; closing bid, 2; offered at 2¼; time loans quiet and steady; 60 days, 2½@2¾ per cent; 90 days, 2¾@3 per cent; six months, 3@3¼ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8405@4.8505 for 60 day bills, and at 4.87 for demand; commercial bills, 4.84⅜@4.84⅝; bar silver, 51⅛c; Mexican dollars, 44c; government bonds steady, railroad bonds easy.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS.

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing— Feb. 18.	Feb. 17.
Allis. Chal	215	14¾	14¾	14½	14½	....
Do pfd	100	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝	....
Amal. Cop	43,655	74½	74⅝	73⅞	73⅞	74¼
Am. Agl. Chem	200	39	39	38⅞	38⅞	39¼
Am. Beet Sug	900	24	24	23⅝	23⅞	24⅝
Am. Can	100	8	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
Do pd	1,400	75⅜	75⅜	75¼	75⅜	75⅜
Am. Car. fdy	5,400	50⅝	50⅝	49⅝	50¼	51
Do pfd	100	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝	110⅝	111
Am. Cot. Oil	8,550	52½	53⅞	52½	53	52¾
Am. Hide	200	7	7	7	7	....
Do pd	1,600	41¼	41¼	40	40	41¼
Am. Ice Sec	1,715	23¼	23¾	22⅝	22½	22⅝
Am. Linseed pfd	200	33¼	33¼	33¼	33¼	....
Am. Loco	2,600	56	56	54¼	54⅝	56¼
Do pfd	200	112¼	112¼	112	112	112⅝
Am. Malt	200	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	....
Do pfd	400	40	49	48	48	49
Am. Smeltg	22,300	85⅝	86¼	84⅝	85	85⅝
Do pfd	200	104¼	104¼	104¼	104¼	104⅝
Do pfd B	325	85½	85½	85	85	....
Am. Tel & Tel	2,800	129¼	129⅝	128½	128⅞	129¼
Am. Tob. pfd	200	91⅝	91⅝	91½	91½	....
Am. Woolen	700	29	29⅝	29	29⅝	29½
Do pfd	100	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	97¼
Anaconda	2,150	44⅝	44⅝	44¼	44¼	44⅝
Asso. M. 2d pfd	200	101½	102	101½	102	102
Atch	27,250	103	103¼	101⅞	101⅞	102⅝
Do pfd	300	102	102	101⅞	101⅞	102
A. C. Line	400	120	120	118⅝	118⅝	120⅝
B. & Ohio	8,000	109⅛	109⅝	108⅝	108⅝	109⅝
Do pfd	300	93	93	93	93	....
Batoplas	3007	3¼	3⅞	3	3	....
Beth. Steel	300	23	23½	23	23¼	24½
Do pfd	100	52	52	52	52	....
B. R. Trans	10,575	71⅝	71⅝	70⅛	70⅛	71⅛
Bu. Gas	100	122	122	122	122	....
Brunswick	300	15¼	15⅛	15	15	15⅛
Butterick	100	29	29	29	29	28⅞
Can. Pac	1,850	173⅜	173⅜	172⅝	172⅝	173⅜
Cent. of N. J	100	225	225	225	225	227
Cent. Lea	900	31	31	30¼	30⅝	31¼
Do pfd	270	102⅜	102⅜	102⅜	102⅜	102⅞
C. & Ohio	18,200	67⅛	67⅛	65½	65⅞	67⅛
Chi. & Alton	100	63	63	63	63	63⅜
C. & G. W	400	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	7⅜
Do pfd A	100	32	32	32	32	....
C., M. & St. P	20,550	147¼	147¼	144⅝	145⅛	147⅛
Do pfd	200	163¼	163¼	163	163	....
C. & N. W	800	179	179	177½	177⅝	179
C. Trac. st'p ctf	100	6	6	6	6	6½
C., C. C. & St. L	400	76¼	76⅝	76	76⅝	77¼
C. F. & I	4,900	39⅝	39⅝	38	38⅝	39⅞
Col. Sou	2,400	63¼	63¼	61½	63	66
Do 1st pfd	600	83	83	83	83	83⅝
Do second pfd	500	78	78	78	78	80⅛
C. H. C. & I	100	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	....
Con. Gas	2,500	121½	121½	120⅝	120½	121⅝
Com. Prod. Ref	400	19	19	18⅝	18⅝	19¼
D. & Hudson	800	176	176¼	175⅜	175⅜	176¼
D. & R. G	9,380	45⅝	45⅝	44	45¼	46¼
Do pfd	1,900	88¼	88¼	87¼	87⅝	88½
Dist. Sec	1,800	37⅛	37⅛	36⅝	36⅝	....
D. S. S. & A	100	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	....
Do pfd	120	31	31	31	31	31¼
Erie	7,400	30⅝	30⅝	30¼	30⅛	30½
Do 1st pfd	700	40	46	45⅝	45⅝	47½
Do 2d pfd	500	36¼	36¼	35¼	35¼	....
Gen. Elec	1,700	156¼	156¼	154¼	155	156¼
Gt. Nor Ore ctf	1,100	71	71	70⅛	70⅛	71½
Do pfd	600	143⅝	143⅝	142⅝	142⅛	143⅝
Ill. Cent	1,200	143	143	141⅝	142	144
Int. Harv	100	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝	64⅝
Do pfd	1,400	111⅝	111⅝	111	111	111⅝
Inter. Met	1,100	16	16	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Do pfd	3,300	43¼	43¼	42¼	42⅝	43⅛
Int. Paper	200	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	....
Do pfd	129	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛	55⅛	....
Int. Pump	1,000	38⅛	38⅛	37⅝	37⅝	38⅛
Do pfd	250	84¼	84⅝	84¼	84⅝	84⅝
Ia. Cent	200	30⅛	30⅛	30	30	....
Do pfd	435	59⅝	59⅝	58⅝	59⅝	60⅛
K. C. Sou	2,500	42	42⅛	40	40⅛	42⅛
Do pfd	400	72	72	71	71	72
L. & N	3,820	127¼	127¼	125¼	126	....
Mackay pfd	200	72½	72½	71⅝	71⅝	....
Mer. Marine	900	8¼	8¼	8	8	8¼
Do pfd	400	25	25	24⅛	24⅛	25⅛
Mex. Cen. ctfs	2,300	21⅝	21⅝	20⅝	20⅝	21⅝
M. & St. Louis	320	56	56	54	54	....
M St. P. & C.S.W.	1,050	141½	141½	139½	139⅝	142
Do pfd	100	152½	152½	152⅝	152½	....
M., K. & T	8,300	42⅝	42½	41	41½	42⅝
Do pfd	200	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	73⅞	....
Mo. Pac	4,450	71⅛	71⅛	70⅝	70⅝	71⅛
Nat. Enamel	250	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	....
Nat. Lead	2,825	79½	79½	78¼	78⅝	79⅝
Do pfd	430	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝	....
N. Y. A. B	100	86	86	86	86	84
Newhouse	200	5	5	5	5	5
N. Y. Cent	8,100	128	128	126¼	126⅝	128
N. Y. N.H. & H.	425	150	160¼	158⅝	160⅛	....
N. Y. O. & W	3,100	46⅝	46⅝	46¼	46⅝	46⅝
Norfolk & W	2,800	90⅝	90⅝	90	90⅝	91
Nor. Am	1,300	81	81	80	80	81⅝
Nor. Pac	10,140	140⅝	140⅝	138⅞	139	140½
Pac. Mail	200	31⅝	32	31⅝	32	34
Penna	6,800	132¼	132¼	131	131¼	132½
Peo. Gas	4,170	112½	112¼	111½	111½	112½
Peoria & Eastn	124	23½	23½	23½	23½	....
P. C. C. & St. L.	200	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	90⅝	....
Pressed Car	1,800	40	40	37⅝	38	41¼
Do pfd	371	101	101	100	100	....
Ry. Springs	100	46½	46½	46½	46½	47
Do pfd	200	101	101	101	101	101
Rdg	94,800	131⅛	131⅛	129⅝	129⅛	131⅛
Do 1st pfd	100	92	92	92	92	92
Do 2d pfd	500	91	91	90	90	....
Rep. Steel	600	23⅝	23⅝	23½	23⅝	24
Do pfd	800	85	85	84	84	....
Rock Island	4,400	24½	24½	23⅞	23⅞	24⅝
Do pfd	9,850	64	64	62½	62½	64⅛
S.L.&S. F 1st pfd	100	69	69	69	69	....
St. L. & S. W	100	23	23	23	23	....
Do pfd	100	52¼	52¼	52¼	52¼	....
Sloss Shef	500	77½	77½	77½	77½	78¼
So. Pac	40,950	118⅛	118⅛	117⅛	117⅛	118⅝
Do pfd	1,250	121⅝	121⅝	120⅝	121	122¼
So. Ry	1,400	25⅝	25⅝	25¼	25⅝	25⅛
Do pfd	2,900	63⅞	63⅞	63	63½	63⅛
Tenn. Cop	1,100	39⅞	40	39¼	39⅞	40
Tex. & Pac	6,400	34	34¼	33⅞	33⅞	34½
Third Ave	1,600	40⅛	40⅛	39⅝	39⅝	41
T. St. L. & W	510	47½	47⅞	47	47	49
Do pfd	200	69⅛	69⅛	69	69	....
Twin City	500	106	106	105¼	106	107
Un. Bag	200	10	10	10	10	....
Un. Pac	114,400	179⅝	179⅝	177½	177⅝	179⅞
Do pfd	600	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	....
U. S. Pipe pfd	100	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	....
U. S. Realty	300	67⅛	67⅛	66⅝	66⅝	....
U. S. Rubber	650	31½	31½	31	31	....
Do 1st pfd	400	104	104	103⅝	103⅝	104
Do 2d pfd	150	68⅛	68⅛	68⅛	68⅛	....

Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing— Feb. 18.	Feb. 17.
U. S. Steel	177,350	51⅛	51⅛	49⅝	49⅝	51⅝
Do pfd	3,000	113⅞	113⅞	112⅞	113	114
Utah Cop	250	43⅝	43⅝	42⅝	42⅛	43⅛
Va. Chem	1,100	46	46⅛	45⅝	45⅝	46⅛
Va. Coke	100	59	59	59	59	....
Wabash	500	18¼	18⅝	18⅛	18½	19
Do pfd	8,400	50	50	48⅝	49⅛	49⅝
West Maryland	2,100	21⅛	21⅛	20⅝	21	22
West'ouse Elec	900	82⅛	82⅛	80¼	80⅛	82⅛
Y. & L. E	200	9⅞	10	9⅞	10	9⅞
Wis. Cent	1,675	42⅛	42⅛	41⅛	41⅛	42⅛
Do pfd	1,200	84⅛	84⅛	84	84	....

Total sales, 709,190 shares.

EXPRESS STOCKS.

Adams Ex ......191@200 | U. S. Ex ......84@87
Am. Ex ......206@210 | Wells Fargo ......290@335

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s, reg	101	101½
U. S. 2s, coup	101⅛	....
U. S. 3s, reg	100⅝	101½
U. S. 3s, coup	100⅝	101½
U. S. 3s, small	100	....
U. S. 4s, reg	119	119⅝
U. S. 4s, coup	120	....
U. S. Pan. 2s, reg	100⅝	101½
U. S. Pan. 2s, coup	100⅝	101½

NEW YORK BOND SALES AND QUOTATIONS—10 A. M. TO 3 P. M.

$16000 Jap 1st 4½s ....92⅝@93; 27000 do 2d 4½s....92; 5000 Va B B ctf 6s 42¼; 10000 N Y City 4s of 1957........101⅝; 13000 do 4½s of 1957........111½; 12000 do new........111⅛@111⅝; 12000 Adams Exp 4s........93; 64000 Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s....82¼@83¼; 48000 Am Agl Chem 1st cv 5s........99⅝; 286000 Am Tel-Tel cv 4s....95¼@95⅛; 41000 Am Tob 4s........76⅛@76½; 2000 do 6s........106⅝; 4000 Ann Arbor 4s 86½; 86000 Atch gen 4s........101⅛@101⅝; 10000 do reg........100⅝; 20000 do aj 4s........95; 102000 do cv 4s........104⅝@105¼; 13000 do cv 5s........107⅝@107½; 3000 do S L 4s........95⅝; 13000 A C Line 1st 4s........97; 10000 do col 4s........90⅛; 6000 B-O 3½s..94⅝@94½; 4000 do 4s........101; 19000 Beth Steel 5s........82¼@82⅝; 20000 B R T 4s........83¼@83⅝; 7000 Bu El 1st 5s........102½@102⅝; 2000 B U Gas 1st..106⅝; 1000 Buff R-P 5s..117⅝; 20000 Can So 1st 5s........106⅛@107; 1000 Cent Branch Mo P 1st 4s..95; 10000 Cent Ga 1sts..116¼; 6000 do con 5s......110⅝; 5000 do R-B 5s....105; 19000 Cen Lea 5s....98⅝; 105000 Cent Pac ref 4s........98⅛@98½; 3000 C-O 4½s......106⅛; 3000 do 5s........116⅝; 1000 do 6s of 1911..103⅛; 1000 do R-A 1sts..100⅛; 5000 C- Alton 3½s 75⅝; 1000 C B-Q gen 4s..100⅛; 20000 do join 4s..98@98⅛; 3000 do Ill 3½s......92⅛; 13000 do Ill 4s......102⅛; 19000 do Neb 4s........101⅞@102; 1000 C-E I 4s......88⅞; 2000 Chi-Erie 1sts..116⅛; 10000 C M-St P 3½s 92; 1000 do 4s........106⅛; 4000 do C P 5s......110⅛; 29000 do H-D 7s......102⅛; 1000 C-N W deb of 1933........113; 4000 C R I-P Ry 4s........101; 1000 do 4s series M 94⅛; 1000 do series N..93⅛; 141000 do R R 4s........79⅛@80; 64000 do Ry ref 4s........92⅝@92⅞; 9000 do R R 5s..92⅝@92⅝; 4000 C St P M-O consols........130⅛; 6000 C C C-St L gen 4s........98⅛; 2000 Col Mid 4s........85@85⅛; 30000 Col So 4s......95⅛; 593000 Colo So 4½s........99⅝@100; 2000 Corn Prod 5s 95; 125000 D-R G 5s........93⅝@93⅞; 10000 Dis Secs 5s....77; 1000 Dul S S-A 5s..110⅝; 5000 Erie cv 4s......65⅛; 13000 do g 1 4s......75; 3000 do p l 4s......89; 5000 do 1st con 7s..123⅛; 2000 Ft W-D C 1sts........117⅛; 5000 Ft W-R G 1sts........87⅛; 6000 Gen Elec cv 5s........139; 5000 Ill Cent 4s of 1955........100⅛; 80000 Inter Met 4½s........79⅛@80; 22000 Inter R T 6s........103⅛@103⅝; 4000 Inter Pump 6s........101⅛@102; 6000 Ia Cent 4s....81⅛.

1000 K C F S-M 4s 85; 5000 do M C 6s....119⅛; 1000 K C So 3s......75⅛; 5000 Ky Cent 4s......98⅝; 1000 Kings Co L 4s stamped........87; 1000 L S-M S 3½s..95; 21000 do 4s of 1931........96@96⅛; 9000 L-N uni 4s..102; 44000 Mer Mar 4½s........73@73⅝; 4000 Met St Ry 5s 85; 17000 M-St L 4s........86¼@86⅝; 72000 M K-T 4s........86⅝@87; 14000 do 4½s....92⅝@92⅞; 21000 Mo Pac 4s........83⅛@83⅝; 1000 do 5s of 1917..102⅛; 1000 do of 1920....103; 1000 Mob-O new 6s........124⅛; 10000 N Y Air B 1st 6s........111; 1000 N Y Cent 3½s 93⅛; 3000 do 4s........95; 3000 do L S 3½s..85⅛; 12000 N Y C-St L 4s........101⅛; 1000 do St L 4s....93; 9000 N Y G E L H-P 4s........85; 1000 do 5s........100⅝; 1000 N Y L-W con 5s........112; 9000 N Y N H-H cv 6s........134⅝@134⅝; 22000 do 3½s........98; 5000 N Y O-W 4s..99⅛; 12000 Nor-W 4s....99; 4000 do Poco 4s....92⅝; 11000 Nor Pac 4s........103⅛@103⅛; 5000 O R-N 4s......99⅛; 5000 O S Line 5s..117⅝; 42000 Penna cv 3½s of 1915....95⅛@95⅝; 5000 P C C-St L 4s series G........102; 16000 Rdg gen 4s........100@100⅛; 1000 do N J 4s......96⅝; 4000 Rio G W 4s........98⅛@98⅝; 1000 Roch-Pgh 1st 6s........118⅝; 12000 St L I M-R-G 4s........90⅝; 1000 St L-S F 4s..96⅛; 83000 do ref 4s..87@87⅛; 8000 do 5s ctfs......89⅛; 24000 St L S W 1st 4s........94@94¼; 31000 do con....79⅛@79⅝; 10000 St P M-M con........131⅝; 7000 do 4½s......109⅝; 8000 do Dak 5s......103⅛; 50 S A-A P 4s......91⅛; 5000 S A Line 4s..65⅛; 3000 So Pac 4s......91⅝; 20000 do ref 4s..95⅛@95⅛; 109000 So Ry 5s..78⅝@78⅞; 5000 do 5s........112; 1000 do M-O 4s........87⅛; 65000 do St L 4s..90@91; 60000 State of San Paulo 5s..92⅝@93; 80000 C-I 5s........103⅛; 23000 Third Av 4s ctf stpd....68@69⅛; 1000 T St L-W 4s..86⅛; 3000 Under London incomes......30@30⅛; 3000 U P 4s......103⅝; 182000 do cv 4s........104⅛@105⅛; 11000 do ref 4s........98⅛@98⅝; 60000 United of S F 4s........74; 1000 United of St L 4s........85; 1000 U S Lea 1st 6s........105⅛; 11000 U S Realty 5s 88⅛; 13000 U S Rubber 6s ctfs......103⅛@104; 131000 U S S 5s........103⅛@104⅛; 77000 Va Chem 1st..96⅝; 7000 Va-S W cv 5s 98⅛; 38000 Wab 1st 5s........113⅛@113⅝; 06000 do 4s......76⅛@76⅝; 2000 do Pgh 1st 4s 52⅛; 74000 do do ctfs..51@51⅛; 20000 do 2d 4s ctf........10@10⅛; 8000 Westinghouse cv 5s........94@94⅛; 24000 Wis Cent 4s........94@94⅛.

Total sales, $4,496,000.

	Bid.	Asked.
K. C., F. S. and M. 4s	85	85½
Kentucky Central 4s	98⅝	98⅝
New York Air Brake 1st 6s	111	111⅝
New York Central 4s	94⅞	95⅛
N. Y., L. and W. 5s	111⅝	112⅝
O. R. and N. 4s	99⅝	99⅞
Western Pacific 5s	95⅛	95⅝

New York Curb Transactions.

	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Tob	85	330	330	325	325
Bay State Gas	850	1⅝	1⅝	1 5-16	1 5-16
Boston Cons	2,800	11½	12	11½	12
Brit. Col. Cop	585	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Butte Coalition	10	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Chgo. Subway	150	26⅝	26⅝	26	26
Cobalt Central	19,300	51½c	52c	49½c	50c
Cumberland Ely	2,900	8 3-16	8 3-16	8 1-16	8⅛
First Nat. Cop	100	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝
Florence	650	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛
Furnace Creek	1,400	11c	12c	11c	12c
Giroux	700	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Goldfield Cons	2,200	7 15-16	7 15-16	7 15-16	7 15-16
Goldgeld Daisy	1,500	70c	70c	69c	69c
Greene Cananea	1,700	10⅝	10⅝	10⅛	10⅛
Kerr Lake	4,100	8	8⅛	1	8
King Edward	500	1	1⅛	1	1⅛
La Rose	2,150	6⅝	6⅝	6 9-16	6 9-16
Manhattan Trans	450	2⅝	2 7-16	2⅛	2 3-16
Miami	2,400	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Mines of Am	200	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
Mont Shoshone	800	2 3-16	2 3-16	2⅛	2⅛
McKinley D	800	92c	93c	92c	93c
Nevada Cons	1,200	18⅛	18⅛	18	18⅛
Nev. S. & M	1,000	1⅛	1⅛	1 1-16	1 1-16
Nev. Utah	2,500	3⅛	3⅛	3	3 1-16
Nipissing	600	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
Ohio Copper	4,700	6 15-16	7	6 11-16	6⅞
Ray Cons	1,550	10⅞	11⅛	10⅞	11⅛
Standard Oil	12	663	663	663	663
Silver Queen	12,400	59c	66c	59c	62c
Tonopah Extn	3,700	70c	76c	70c	76c
Tri Bullion	1,900	1	1 1-16	1	1 1-16
Trinity	550	15	15	12½	12½
United Copper	4,200	13⅝	13⅝	12⅝	13⅛
Yukon Gold	265	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4 11-16

BONDS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
$275,000 C. & O. 5s w. i	101⅞	101 3-16	100⅞	101⅛
231,000 C. B. & Q. 4s w. i	100⅛	100⅛	100 7-16	100 7-16
115,000 Western Pac. 5s	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛	95⅛

IN THE BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 18.—[Special.]—Coppers were dull and soft. Amalgamated was most active, then came North Butte, Isle Royale, East Butte, and Trinity. A statement from Mr. Lawson that Trinity mines were closed did not encourage holders of that stock. Steel common was active. Most of the transactions in this stock and in Amalgamated came from New York. Call loans, 2½@3 per cent; time loans, short dates, 3@3½ per cent; time loans, six months, 3½@4 per cent; time money, year, 3¾@4¼ per cent.

MINING.

Description.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Adventure	880	8⅛	9⅛	7⅝	8
Amal. Cop	7,755	74⅝	75	73⅞	73⅝
Allouez	210	42	42	41⅛	41⅛
Am. Zinc	100	25⅛	27⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Arcadian	140	4	4⅛	4	4⅛
Ariz. Com'l	55	35	35	34	34⅛
Atlantic	35	16	16	16	16
Boston Con	1,455	12⅛	12⅛	11⅛	12⅛
Boston Corbin	195	20	20	19	19
Butte Coalition	645	23⅝	23⅝	23	23
Cal. & A	326	102	103	101	102
Cal. & Hec	8	645	645	645	645
Centennial	165	33⅛	33⅛	32	32
Con. Mer	200	31	31	30	30
Cop. Range	769	74	74	72⅝	74
Daly West	85	10	10	10	10
East Butte	5,375	13⅛	13⅝	12⅛	13⅛
Franklin	325	15	15	14⅛	14⅛
Granby	10	100	100	100	100
Greene Can	242	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛
Isle Royale	3,935	31⅛	31⅛	30	31
Kewenawa	25	4	4	4	4
Lake Cop	173	18⅛	18⅛	18	18⅛
La Salle	547	16	16	15⅛	15⅛
Mass. Mining	100	5⅛	5⅛	5	5
Mexico	100	4	4	4	4
Miami	254	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛
Michigan	10	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Mohawk	50	64	64	62⅝	62⅝
Newhouse	50	4⅛	4⅛	4	4
Nor. Butte	1,826	73	73⅛	72	72⅛
Nor. Lake	10	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Old Dom	960	51	51	49⅝	50
Osceola	200	135⅛	135⅛	134⅛	134⅛
Parrott	50	28	28	28	28
Quincy	10	90	90	90	90
Shannon	450	15⅛	15⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Sup. & Boston	200	17	17	16	16
Superior Copper	915	43	43	41⅝	42⅝
Superior & Pgh	100	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Trinity	2,561	14⅛	14⅛	12⅛	12⅛
U. S. Smelter	105	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛	41⅛
Do pfd	395	44⅝	45	44⅛	44⅝
Utah Apex	315	6⅛	6⅛	6	6
Utah Con	410	41	41⅛	40⅛	40⅛
Victoria	200	5	5	5	5
Winona	400	5⅛	5⅛	5	5
Wyandotte	120	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛

OTHER STOCKS.

Description.	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Tel. & Tel	1,212	129⅛	129⅛	128⅛	128⅞
Am. Agl. Chem	30	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Do pfd	45	99⅝	99⅝	99⅛	99⅛
Am. Pneu. svc	1,710	9⅛	9⅛	9	9⅛
Do pfd	445	18⅛	18⅛	18	18⅛
Edison	105	250	250	250	250
Mass. Gas	377	65⅝	65⅝	65	65
Do pfd	135	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛	93⅛
Seattle Elec	1	100	100	100	100
Swift	140	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅝
United Fruit	65	127⅛	127⅛	127	127
United Shoe	1,065	65	65	64⅛	64⅛
Do pfd	118	92⅝	92⅛	92⅝	92⅝
Boston & A	5	237	237	237	237
Fitchburg pfd	20	135	135⅛	135	135⅛
Mass. Elec	70	14⅛	14⅛	14	14
N. Y. N. H-H	9	159⅛	159⅛	159⅛	159⅛
Old Colony R. R.	19	198	198	198	198
West End St. R.R.	15	93⅛	94	93⅛	94

IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Bankers' Association Committee Finishes Work and Adjourns.

MAPS OUT ITS CAMPAIGN.

Special Clearing House Examinations Are Recommended Strongly.

The executive committee of the clearing house section of the American Bankers' association, which had been in session in Chicago for some days, has adjourned. The committee gave a great deal of attention to the subject of special clearing house examinations, and proposes doing a large amount of educational work along this line. The article prepared by Joseph T. Talbert has been placed in the hands of practically every member of every important clearing house committee in the United States. This is to be followed up by special work on the part of the secretary of the American Banking association.

Ralph Van Vechten, vice president of the Commercial National bank and a member of the executive committee, in discussing the committee's work said:

"The committee devoted its time largely to clearing house examinations, and the secretary of the association was instructed to continue the work of education along similar lines. Further, articles are to be prepared on the subject by special examiners, based on the results of their experience in the several cities which have now adopted the plan.

Examination Largely Private.

"We are satisfied that a number of clearing houses, in which a majority of the banks is favorable to the plan, are withheld in each case from adopting the system by the opposition of one or two institutions. Some bankers are opposed to the idea of any examinations whatever except by the regular officials appointed by the various states or the national government. In such cases, they feel that a semi-publicity is given to their affairs, but such is really not the case, and the cities which have adopted the plan have found no difficulty of this kind. As a matter of fact, the clearing house examiner does not bring the matters to the attention of the clearing house committee, unless there is something radically wrong which deserves special and immediate attention. In such cases, the clearing house committee exercises its influence and authority in the proper direction. As a rule, such reports do not go beyond the directors of the bank which has been examined, and in the large majority of cases these directors are found only too willing to acquiesce promptly in any suggestions made by the special examiner.

"In some cities the examiner calls a meeting of the directors for the purpose, and goes over his report, item by item, making suggestions and comments for their benefit. The results have been found to be salutary as regards lines of credit, and have been productive of a much better feeling between bankers. Old time jealousies have disappeared, and in every city which has tried the plan there is no question but what the banking situation has been improved.

"An important point in connection with clearing house examinations is the fact that the examiner has absolute knowledge of the total lines of credit existing in his particular city against any one firm, corporation, or group. This is important in any community, and a scheme such as the Morse system of banking is nipped in its inception. The examiner possesses the same knowledge regarding a superabundance of one kind of collateral in the various banks of a city. With this knowledge a proper restraint can be exercised in time to head off the possibility of serious loss.

Would Put Banking on High Plane.

"You ask what would be the result if any considerable number of cities should adopt the plan of special clearing house examinations? I can only answer that the banking situation of the country would be raised to a high plane, which would be of lasting benefit to the public. What would naturally follow would be that corporations, firms, and individuals would permit the same sort of inspection regarding their own affairs. Many banks are already using the service of chartered accountants in making examinations of themselves for the benefit of their directors.

"With a large number of banks submitting to special examinations by the clearing house, or by chartered accountants, in addition to the regular official examinations, there would be no excuse left for concerns whose paper is being floated through note brokers denying publicity of their affairs. Such publicity would further strengthen the banking situation, and, if coupled with a system of registration of notes, would prevent an overexpansion of credit or an undue issue of commercial paper.

"We are pleased to find that in some sections of the country the so-called groups of the various state associations are taking up the idea. The groups, as a rule, represent about the same territory as a congressional district, and sometimes the same boundaries. In the states of Minnesota and California each group is arranging to have its own special examiner; in fact, I understand the system is already in force in a number of groups in these states. The arguments that are used in favor of special clearing house examinations apply with equal force to the groups. The experiment will be watched with interest in the states where it is now being carried on, and if successful, as it no doubt will be, we look for the plan to spread gradually over a large territory of the country.

Publicity Gaining Ground.

"On the whole, the idea of publicity with bankers is gaining ground. The old notion of concealment regarding a bank's affairs has lost force in recent years. This is not inconsistent with the proper secrecy regarding the individual transactions of its customers, which is always respected by any well managed banking institution. The same thought may be applied to the corporation, firm, or individual whose paper is offered in the open market by note brokers. The public has the right to know in either case that a financial statement has been properly verified at regular periods by a disinterested authority."

Diamond Match Profits.

Directors of the Diamond Match company met in Chicago yesterday and approved the annual report which is to be mailed to shareholders on March 15, the date of the regular quarterly dividend payment. It is understood the report will show earnings of approximately $1,900,000. The board was unwilling to give out further details.

Pneumatic Tool Plans.

The Chicago Pneumatic Tool company has under consideration a plan to turn over the selling end of its foreign business to an independent organization controlled by J. W. Duntley, formerly the president of the company. The matter was considered at the annual meeting of the shareholders in Jersey City last Monday, but as no conclusion was reached adjournment was had for thirty days. The shareholders will be mailed a copy of the proposed plan, and thus be given an opportunity to vote on the proposition at the adjourned meeting to be held on March 17.

J. W. Duntley proposes to organize an European company which will agree to push the sales of the local corporation's machines in foreign countries other than Canada and Mexico. It will buy the machines from the manufacturing corporation at a fixed price which will allow the regular manufacturing profit. The stockholders of the Pneumatic Tool company will be asked to approve a contract on such lines for a period of ten years.

Republic Iron May Issue Bonds.

It is announced the Republic Iron and Steel company has under consideration a new bond issue, the proceeds of which will be used for the purpose of building new works. No official statement has been issued as to what progress has been made in connection with the issuance of bonds at the headquarters of the company in New York. That the amount of bonds would be $20,000,000 is discredited.

Dividends Declared.

Directors of the American Sugar Refining company have declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on both the preferred and common stocks, payable on April 2 to stock of record on March 1. Books do not close.

Directors of the Diamond Match company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, payable on March 15 to stockholders of record on March 5.

Money and Exchange.

Money in Chicago is easy at 3½@4½ per cent on commercial paper and local collateral loans and 4@4½ per cent on loans over the counter.

Foreign exchange was steady yesterday at the following quotations:

	Demand.	Sixty days.
Sterling—		
Actual	487⅛	485
Commercial	487	484¼
Paris francs—		
Actual	516¼	520
Commercial	517⅛	521¼
German marks—		
Actual	95 3-16	94 9-16
Commercial	95 1-16	94⅜

New York exchange sold in Chicago yesterday at 20c premium.

Bank clearings in Chicago yesterday were $43,471,413.

Short Term Note Quotations.

Name.	Per cent.	Maturity.	Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Cigar	4	Mch. 15, 1911	98⅛	98⅞
Amer. Cigar	4	Mch. 15, 1912	97⅛	98
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	5	Jan., 1910	101⅛	102
Atl. Coast Line	5	Mch. 1, 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Ches. & Ohio	6	July 1, 1910	102⅛	102⅛
C. C. C. & St. L.	5	June, 1911	101⅛	101⅛
Interborough R. T.	5	Mch., 1910	100⅝@101	
Kan. City South	5	April, 1912	99⅝	100⅛
Lackawanna Steel	5	Mch., 1909	99⅝	100⅛
Lackawanna Steel	5	Mch., 1910	98⅛	99
Lake Shore	5	Feb., 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Louis. & Nashville	5	Mch. 1, 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Michigan Central	5	Feb., 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Minn. & St. Louis	5	Feb., 1911	99⅛	100
New York Central	5	Feb., 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Norf. & Western	5	May 1, 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Pennsylvania R. R.	5	Mch. 15, 1910	101⅛	101⅛
Public Service	5	Nov., 1909	99⅝	100⅛
St. L. & San Fran.	5	Jan., 1911	97⅛	98⅛
St. L., Mem. & S. E.	4½	June, 1909	100	100⅛
Southern Railway	5	Feb. 1, 1910	97⅛	98⅛
Southern Railway	5	May 1, 1911	99⅛	100⅛
Tidewater Co.	6	June 1, 1913	103	103⅛
U. S. Rubber Co.	5	Sept. 15, 1909	100⅛	100⅛
W'inghouse Elec.	6	Aug., 1910	100⅛	101⅛

General Financial News.

The Imperial Bank of Germany yesterday reduced its minimum rate of discount to 3½ per cent. A 4 per cent had been in effect since June 18, 1908.

S. W. Eccles, vice president of the American Smelting and Refining company, who has been making a tour of inspection of the corporation's properties in Mexico, is quoted as saying that owing to the unsatisfactory conditions in the metal market, which have resulted in the shutting down of many Mexican mines, the American company's plants are working half time.

The Midland Steel company will soon let contracts for another foundry iron furnace, which will have an output of 250 tons a day and be located at Midland.

At a meeting of the directors of the Columbus and Hocking Coal and Iron company, Henry Stanley Haskins was elected vice president in place of L. O. Lathrop, deceased.

It was announced in New York that advices from Washington intimated the treasury would ask the banks to bid for another issue of Panama bonds as a means of strengthening the government's finances.

Chicago Securities.

In the local stock market business was moderately active. People's Gas was the feature. It sold off from 112¼ at the opening to a close of 111½. Commonwealth Edison was active and worked off from the opening. Swift & Co. shares held well around 102½.

In the bond department dealings were fairly heavy. There was some good buying in Metropolitan L 4s. Other quotations were steady.

Following were the sales on the Chicago stock exchange:

	Shares.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
American Can	100	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Do pfd	200	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛	75⅛
Chgo. Pneu. Tool	25	25	25	25	25
Chgo. Rys. Ser. 2	150	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
Chicago Subway	50	26	26	26	26
Chicago Teleph	10	131⅛	131⅛	131⅛	131⅛
Com'w'th Edison	602	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
Diamond Match	11	123⅛	123⅛	123⅛	123⅛
Illinois Brick	100	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛
K.C'y. Ry. & Lt. pf.	15	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛	79⅛
National Biscuit	45	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛
Do pfd	40	119	119	118⅛	118⅛
National Carbon	27	84⅛	85	84⅛	85
People's Gas	1,103	112⅛	112⅛	111⅝	111½
Quaker Oats	25	130	130	130	130
Sears-Roebuck	807	64	64⅛	63⅛	64
Do pfd	118	111	112	111	112
Street's Stbl. Car	220	30⅛	30⅛	30	30⅛
Swift & Co.	722	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛
United Boxboard	57	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
Do pfd	61	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
$2,000 Chicago City Rwy. 5s	104⅛	....
1,000 Chicago Rwys. 5s	102⅛	....
35,000 Do receipts	102	....
3,000 Chicago Rwys. cons. 4s A	95	95⅛
8,000 Chicago Rwys. cons. 4s B	88⅛	....
15,000 Chicago Telephone 5s	103⅛	....
7,000 Commonwealth Electric 5s	103⅛	....
1,000 Do Edison 5s	103⅛	....
2,000 Knickerbocker Ice 5s	96	....
61,000 Metropolitan El. gold 4s	84⅛	85
11,000 Northwestern El. 4s	94⅛	....
1,000 Ogden Gas 5s	94⅛	....
10,000 People's Gas rfdg. 5s	100⅛	....
500 Pearsons-Taft 4.40s	97	....

IN THE FOREIGN STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Money in good demand today and discounts were quiet. On the stock exchange dealings were narrow, operators being inclined to realize in the absence of cheerful news. Consols and first class securities dropped on the prospective new issues, including the New South Wales stock, amounting to $7,500,000, and despite the good bank statement prices closed easy. Copper shares were weak on the unfavorable position of the metal. Foreigners and Kaffirs were easy in the absence of Paris support. American securities were dull and barely reached parity in the forenoon, except in the case of Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé, which was supported by New York interests. Later Wall street advices came disappointing and offerings became more frequent. The market closed easy.

LONDON CLOSING STOCKS.

Consols for money	84	M., K. & T.	43⅛
Consols for acct	84 5-16	New York Central	131⅛
Anaconda	9⅛	Norfolk & Western	93
Atchison	105⅛	Do pfd	90
Do pfd	104⅛	Ontario & Western	47⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	112⅛	Pennsylvania	67⅛
Canadian Pacific	177⅛	Rand Mines	7⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	68⅛	Reading	67⅛
Chi. Gt. Western	7⅛	Southern railway	26⅛
C., M. & St. P.	151	Do pfd	65⅛
De Beers	12⅛	Southern Pacific	121⅛
Denver & R. Gde.	46⅛	Union Pacific	183⅛
Do pfd	90⅛	Do pfd	98⅛
Erie	31⅛	United States Steel	52⅛
Do 1st pfd	47⅛	Do pfd	116⅛
Do 2d pfd	37⅛	Wabash	19⅛
Grand Trunk	19	Do pfd	50⅛
Illinois Central	147⅛	Spanish 4s	96⅛
Louisv. & Nashville	137⅛	Amal. Copper	76⅛

Bar silver—Quiet, 23 9-16d per ounce.

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The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅛@2⅛ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2⅛@2⅛ per cent.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, increased	£1,161,000
Circulation, decreased	371,000
Bullion, increased	789,300
Other securities, increased	336,000
Other deposits, increased	164,000
Public deposits, increased	1,550,000
Notes reserve, increased	1,189,000
Government securities, decreased	70,000

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 50.59 per cent; last week it was 49.72 per cent.

PARIS, Feb. 18.—Prices on the bourse generally today were firm. Closing: Three per cent rentes, 97 francs 90 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 23½ centimes for checks. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes:

Notes in circulation, decreased	30,425,000 francs
Treasury deposits, increased	20,150,000 francs
General deposits, decreased	37,450,000 francs
Gold in hand, increased	2,025,000 francs
Silver in hand, increased	800,000 francs
Bills discounted, decreased	25,600,000 francs
Advances, decreased	9,025,000 francs

BERLIN, Feb. 18.—Prices on the boerse today were weak. Exchange on London 20 marks 51 pfennigs for checks. Discount rates, short bills, 1½ per cent, three months bills, 2¼ per cent.

TREASURY BALANCES.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows:

Available cash balance	$140,936,582
Gold coin and bullion	35,727,901
Gold certificates	23,947,360

SOUTHERN PACIFIC ISSUE NEAR?

Report That Big Bond Sale Is Imminent Owing to Advances to Subsidiary Lines.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—[Special.]—One of the reports of the day in Wall street was that Southern Pacific would shortly bring out a big bond issue. It was stated in the last annual report that the company had made advances to its subsidiaries for new construction and new lines. Such advances amounted on June 30, 1908, to $108,333,000, of which a large part has been supplied to subsidiaries building lines in Mexico. In official quarters it was said no financial plan has been drawn up, but that there are reasons to believe that matters will be taken up by the company's bankers in the not distant future.

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Amount	Name of Security	Maturity	Per Cent Yield About
$300,000	New York State 4's	Sept. 1, 1958	3.45
50,000	Allegheny County, Pa., 3½'s	Nov. 1, 1932-22	3.70
200,000	Trenton, N. J., 4's	April 1, 1939	3.70
300,000	Chicago Sanitary District 4's	1911 to 1927	3.75
25,000	Rockford, Ill., 4's	Feb. 1, 1929	3.75
150,000	Cook County, Ill., 4's	1917 to 1928	3¾ to 3.80
25,000	City of Chicago 4's	1911 to 1921	3.80
300,000	Hudson County, N. J., 4½'s	1938 and 1948	3.85
500,000	New York City, 3's, 3½'s and 4's	1915 to 1956	3.90
70,000	Ogden, Utah, 4½'s	Jan. 2, 1929	4.00
50,000	West Allis, Wis., 5's	1910 to 1927	4.00
300,000	Wilmington, N. C., 4½'s	Oct. 1, 1948	4.20
30,000	Cliffside Park, N. J., School 5's	1928 to 1931	4.25
100,000	Orleans (N. O.) Levee Dist., 5's	July 1, 1959-29	4.30
50,000	Albany, Ga., 5's	1916 to 1926	4.38
60,000	Florence, Colo., 5's	Jan. 2, 1929-19	4.50

RAILROAD

Amount	Name of Security	Maturity	Per Cent Yield About
100,000	N. Y. Cent. & Hudson River 3½'s	July 1, 1997	3.75
50,000	Union Pacific 4's	July 1, 1947	3.85
75,000	Chicago & N. W. (P. & N.) 3½'s	March 1, 1926	3.87
50,000	Chicago, Burl. & Q. gen'l 4's	March 1, 1958	3.97
50,000	Illinois Central 3's, 3½'s & 4's	1951 and 1953	3.95 to 4.00
25,000	Central Pacific 4's	August 1, 1949	4.08
100,000	St. Louis, Iron Mt. & S. gen'l 5's	April 1, 1931	4.13
25,000	Atchison, T. & S. F. (Transcont.) 4's	July 1, 1958	4.18
500,000	Southern Pacific 4's	Jan. 1, 1955	4.20
200,000	Chicago Junction R. R. 4's	March 1, 1945-10	4.25
100,000	New York, Chicago & St. Louis 4's	May 1, 1931	4.43

PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION

Amount	Name of Security	Maturity	Per Cent Yield About
25,000	Chicago City Railway 5's	Feb. 1, 1927-12	4.61
50,000	Chicago Telephone 5's	Dec. 1, 1923-13	4.66
50,000	Peoples Gas L. & C. (Chicago) 5's	Sept. 1, 1947	4.77
75,000	Commonwealth Edison 5's	June 1, 1943-18	4.80
70,000	Laclede Gas Light (St. Louis) 5's	April 1, 1934	4.83
75,000	Birmingham (Ala.) R.L.&P. 4½'s	April 1, 1954-09	4.88
50,000	Houston (Texas) Gas 5's	March 1, 1920	5.00
25,000	Michigan State Telephone 5's	Feb. 1, 1924	5.00
75,000	Spokane & Inland Emp. R.R. 5's	May 1, 1926-11	5.00
100,000	Union Elec. Lt. & P. (St. L.) 5's	May 1, 1933-18	5.07
70,000	Internat. Water (El Paso) 5's	March 1, 1931-21	5.30

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DEATHS.

ADLER—Henry Adler, husband of Fannie R., father of Esther R., at his residence, 4554 Vincennes-av., aged 70 years. Funeral from Furth's chapel, 35th and Grand-blvd., at 12:30 Friday, to Rosehill.

BARRETT—Anna Barrett, nee Printy, Feb. 18, beloved wife of James, daughter of Patrick and the late Anna Printy, sister of Mrs. A. Laure, Edward J. and the late Paul Printy, at residence, 1404 E. Irving Park-blvd. Funeral notice later.

CONKLIN—William Joseph Conklin, Feb. 17, beloved husband of Mrs. Mollie Conklin, nee Stokes, at his residence, 1823 Magnolia-av. Funeral Saturday, Feb. 20, 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

CONNERS—Andrew W. Conners, aged 70 years, beloved husband of Cleantha D., nee Sperry, father of Edward, William, Albert, Mame Conners, Mrs. C. L. Thompson, and Mrs. A. L. Bahr. Funeral from late residence, 1069 Washington-blvd., Friday, Feb. 19, at 10 a. m.; carriages to Oak Ridge cemetery.

DUNNING—Silas H. Dunning, beloved husband of Maude Dunning, nee Foster, father of Arthur, Thomas, and Harry, brother of W. D. Dunning. Funeral Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., from late residence, 6048 Woodlawn-av. Interment at Oakwoods cemetery. Member of Lincoln council, No. 68, National Union, and Advanced lodge, No. 2681, Knights of Honor.

EBERT—Henry Ebert, at Joplin, Mo., brother of Mrs. E. A. Stein, Mrs. W. E. Cooper, Edward and Charles Ebert, and uncle of the late Howard Stein. Funeral from his late residence, 282 Elm-st., Saturday, Feb. 20, to Rosehill; strictly private. Ottawa [Ill.] papers please copy.

GREEN—Catherine Green, beloved daughter of Mrs. Nellie Green, nee Burke. Funeral at 9:30 from 305 Austin-av. to St. Columbkille's church, thence by carriages to Calvary.

HASER—August J. Haser, Feb. 18, age 45 years, beloved husband of Estella. Services at late residence, 82 Pine Grove-av., Saturday, Feb. 20, at 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill cemetery.

HOYNE—William A. Hoyne, Feb. 18, 1909, beloved husband of Martha A., nee Dale, son of the late Philip A. and Teresa C. Hoyne, father of Philip A., William J., Frank A., Robert A., and Mrs. James J. Smith, and brother of the late John T. Hoyne. Member of Married Men's Sodality of Holy Family parish, St. Joseph court No. 8, C. O. F., Enterprise lodge No. 103, Columbian Knights. Funeral Saturday, Feb. 20, at 9:30 a. m., from his late residence, 1147 Douglas-blvd. to St. Agatha's church, where high mass will be celebrated; carriages to Mount Carmel.

KANTOR—Tobin Kantor, nee Margolis, 437 Bradley-pl., after a short illness; beloved wife of Joseph and mother of John, Herman, Arvid, and Marion and the late Jalmar and Bernard. Funeral will take place Friday, at 11 a. m. sharp, from B'nai Mashe Temple, 446 S. Paulina-st.; thence by carriages to Waldheim. Please omit flowers.

MAACK—Lewis Maack, beloved son of Lewis H. and Mima Maack, brother of Edith and Gladys. Funeral from parents' residence, 474 S. 42d-av., Friday at 1 o'clock, to Waldheim.

METZ—Christobel G. Metz, Feb. 17. Funeral Friday, 1:30 p. m., from her brother's residence, 2953 Calumet-av.

OWEN—In cherished memory of Caroline Miller Owen, wife of the late William G. Lewis who entered into eternal rest in the city of Berlin, Germany, Feb. 19, 1903. "A loving, self-sacrificing mother."

O'MALLEY—Anthony O'Malley, Feb. 16, 1909, beloved husband of the late Margaret, father of P. J., A. J., B. A., Katherine, Mrs. G. Patterson, Mrs. E. P. Schaeffer, and the late Mrs. Conway. Funeral Friday, Feb. 19, 9:30 a. m., from his late residence, 3525 Wentworth-av., to Nativity church, where high mass will be celebrated; by carriages to Calvary.

O'NEILL—Patrick A. O'Neill, Feb. 17, 1909, dearly beloved son of Michael and the late Johanna O'Neill, brother of John F., Michael, Officer William, Edward, Mrs. Patrick Thelan, Mrs. Michael Morrissey, at his residence, 3011 Quinn-st. Funeral Saturday, Feb. 20, at 9 a. m., to St. Bridget's church, where high mass will be celebrated; thence by carriages to Mt. Olivet. Member of International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' union of North America, No. 3, and Court Wonder, No. 3392, I. O. F.

PHILLIPPS—Katherine Edith Phillipps, at Sausalito, Cal., Feb. 14, 1909, beloved wife of the Rev. Thomas D. Phillipps, mother of Edward L., Franz G., H. Godfrey, Edith M., Katherine Louise, and Mrs. William McGrall. Interment at Graceland. Funeral Saturday, 11 a. m., from late residence, 1675 Barry-av., to St. Peter's church, Belmont and Evanston-avs.

SEIPP—The funeral of the late Conrad Seipp took place yesterday at 2 o'clock from the residence of his mother, 3300 Michigan-av. Interment at Oakwoods cemetery. Funeral was private.

SIMPSON—Margarette C. Simpson, beloved wife of Carl Simpson and beloved mother of Martha. Funeral from her late residence, 2790 N. 40th-ct., Friday, Feb. 19, at 2 p. m.; by carriages to Montrose cemetery.

STRYKER—Henry H. Stryker, aged 70 years, at his residence, 1292 W. Monroe-st., Feb. 18, 1909. Interment at Millstone, N. J.

SUNMAN—Josephine Sunman entered into rest Feb. 16, at 3:15 p. m.; devoted wife of Adam Sunman and beloved mother of Sergeant and Mrs. Burns. Funeral from her late home, 11835 Princeton-av., Sunday at 2 p. m.; by carriages to Oakwoods. To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die.

THOMPSON—Laura Anna Thompson, nee Grosse, Feb. 17, beloved wife of Paul M. Thompson, daughter of Henry C. and Rosa Grosse, 286 Rush-st. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m., from late residence, to St. Joseph's church. Interment at Graceland. Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Oakland, Cal., papers please copy.

THOMSON—Selina Thomson, widow of Dr. J. C. Thomson, mother of Lottie and Mrs. C. H. Overhue. Services at residence, 1416 Wilton-av., Friday p. m. Burial at Chebanse, Ill., on Saturday. Edinburgh [Md.] and Toronto papers please copy.

TROOST—Louise Troost, Feb. 18, at her residence, 417 Dearborn-av. Funeral notice later.

VERHOEVEN—Robert S. Verhoeven, aged 33 years, beloved son of Margaret and the late Frank Verhoeven, brother of Frank W., Albert, Adolph, and Mrs. Edith Brown. Funeral Saturday at 9 a. m. from his mother's residence 4860 Prairie-av., to Corpus Christi church. Interment private. Member of Union council, North American Union.

WEISS—Odelia E. Weiss, nee Schlessle, Feb. 17, 11 p. m., age 36 years 5 months, 2 days, beloved wife of Henry Weiss, sister of Clara Scheffel and Laura Schlessle. Burial Feb. 19, 2 p. m., Graceland; strictly private.

YUILLE—Laurina Yuille, age 32, at 2309 N. 43d-av., Thursday, Feb. 18. Funeral from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Stuart A. Dunlop, 2477 N. 43d-av., Saturday, Feb. 20, at 2 p. m.

OFFICIAL WEATHER FORECAST.

OFFICE OF CHIEF OF WEATHER BUREAU, Washington, D. C., Feb. 18.—Forecast for Friday and Saturday:

Illinois—Rain Friday, followed by clearing and somewhat colder, Saturday fair, warmer in west portion.

Indiana—Rain Friday, colder in afternoon, Saturday fair.

Ohio—Rain Friday, somewhat colder at night, Saturday generally fair.

Kansas—Fair Friday and Saturday.

Nebraska—Fair Friday, warmer in east portion, Saturday fair.

Lower Michigan—Rain in south, rain or snow in north portion Friday, colder in west portion, Saturday generally fair.

Upper Michigan—Snow Friday, slightly colder in west portion, Saturday generally fair.

Wisconsin—Fair in west, rain or snow in east portion Friday, somewhat colder, Saturday fair, warmer in west portion, moderate west winds becoming variable.

Minnesota—Fair Friday, slightly warmer in west portion, Saturday fair, warmer in east portion.

South Dakota—Fair, warmer Friday, Saturday fair.

North Dakota—Partly cloudy and warmer Friday, Saturday fair.

Iowa—Fair in west, clearing in east portion Friday, somewhat colder in west and south portions, Saturday fair, warmer.

Missouri—Fair in west, clearing in east portion Friday, somewhat colder, Saturday fair, warmer.

Place of observation. Time taken: Feb. 18, 7 p. m.	Thermometer.	Max. temp.	Direction of wind.	Precipitation 24 hours.	State of weather.
Abilene	56	60	N.W.	....	Clear
Albany	24	32	N.	....	Clear
Alpena	32	32	S.E.	.14	Clo'dy
Atlanta	50	56	S.E.	....	Clear
Amarillo	46	52	N.W.	.24	Clear
Baker City	38	42	S.W.	.10	Clear
Battleford	16	16	E.	....	Fair
Bismarck	18	26	N.W.	Tr.	Clear
Boise	38	44	S.E.	.42	Clear
Boston	28	34	N.	....	Clear
Buffalo	34	34	E.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Cairo	52	56	S.	.04	Rain
Calgary	38	42	S.W.	....	Fair
Charles City	32	38	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Charlotte	52	58	S.	....	Clear
Cheyenne	34	38	W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Chicago	40	42	S.	.01	Rain
Cincinnati	52	58	S.E.	....	Clear
Cleveland	40	42	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Concordia	38	46	N.	Tr.	Clear
Davenport	38	40	S.	.14	Rain
Denver	44	48	N.W.	....	Clear
Des Moines	34	42	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Detroit	40	40	S.	....	Clo'dy
Devil's Lake	14	20	W.	.08	Clo'dy
Dodge	44	54	N.W.	.06	Clear
Dubuque	36	36	S.	.10	Rain
Duluth	26	26	N.E.	.12	Snow
El Paso	60	60	W.	....	Clear
Edmonton	28	30	S.	....	Fair
Escanaba	32	32	S.	.46	Snow
Galveston	68	68	W.	.18	Fair
Grand Haven	36	42	S.	Tr.	Rain
Grand Rapids	40	42	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Green Bay	34	36	S.	.11	Rain
Havre	40	42	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
Helena	36	42	W.	Tr.	Snow
Huron	22	26	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Indianapolis	48	54	S.	....	Clo'dy
Jacksonville	60	66	E.	....	Fair
Kansas City	36	44	N.	.16	Rain
Lander	34	40	W.	....	Clo'dy
Little Rock	54	54	S.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Spokane	44	46	W.	.20	Fair
Los Angeles	56	58	S.W.	....	Fair
Madison	32	34	S.	.04	Rain
Marquette	30	30	S.E.	.36	Snow
Memphis	56	62	S.	.12	Rain
Medicine Hat	38	42	S.	....	Fair
Milwaukee	36	36	S.W.	.02	Rain
Minnedosa	12	14	N.W.	....	Clear
Montgomery	58	62	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Montreal	6	10	S.	....	Clear
Moorhead	22	26	N.W.	....	Clo'dy
Nashville	54	60	E.	....	Fair
New Orleans	64	68	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
New York City	40	44	S.E.	....	Clear
Norfolk	48	60	S.E.	....	Clear
North Platte	40	40	N.W.	....	Clear
Oklahoma	42	52	N.W.	.01	Clear
Omaha	32	36	N.W.	Tr.	Clo'dy
Oswego	24	26	S.E.	Tr.	Fair
Palestine	52	68	W.	.01	Fair
Parkersburg	48	58	S.	....	Clear
Peoria	38	40	S.	.08	Rain
Philadelphia	44	48	S.E.	....	Clear
Pittsburg	50	50	N.E.	....	Fair
Portland, Ore.	50	56	S.W.	.54	Clo'dy
Pueblo	44	52	W.	....	Clear
Rapid City	38	46	S.E.	Tr.	Fair
Qu'Appelle	20	24	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
San Francisco	54	60	W.	.24	Clear
St. Louis	44	46	S.	.10	Rain
St. Paul	32	38	N.W.	.02	Clo'dy
Salt Lake City	42	44	S.W.	....	Clo'dy
San Antonio	64	74	N.W.	....	Clear
San Diego	54	56	W.	....	Clo'dy
Ste. Marie	20	20	E.	.14	Clo'dy
Springfield, Ill.	40	40	S.	.02	Rain
Springfield, Mo.	46	46	S.E.	Tr.	Fair
Tacoma	48	52	S.W.	.08	Clo'dy
Vicksburg	60	64	S.	.04	Rain
Washington	44	54	S.E.	....	Clear
Wichita	42	44	N.W.	.12	Fair
Williston	28	30	S.E.	....	Clo'dy
Winnipeg	10	10	W.	.14	Clo'dy
Yellowstone Park	22	28	S.W.	.02	Snow

OFFICIAL DEATH RECORD.

THE FOLLOWING BURIAL PERMITS WERE issued yesterday by the health department:
Adler, Henry, 70; 4554 Vincennes-av., Feb. 18.
Allis, Philip S., 86; 3165 Archer-av., Feb. 17.
Badina, Josephine, 38; 41 Blackhawk-st., Feb. 16.
Baranowski, Clara, 7 months; 8820 Exchange-av., Feb. 16.
Beals, Horatio M., 72; 949 Argyle-av., Feb. 12.
Bocraw, Frank, 1 month; Block B, room 15, Pullman, Feb. 16.
Biewer, Appoliner, 77; 62 Eugénie-st., Feb. 15.
Beman, Mary, 73; 3742 Ellis-av., Feb. 16.
Beanco, Francesco, 12 days; 189 Milton-av., Feb. 16.
Cashman, Elizabeth, 48; 458 Adams-st., Feb. 15.
Compando, Frederica, 1; 412 Ferdinand-st., Feb. 17.
Cutler, Margarette, 73; 2946 Cottage Grove-av., Feb. 17.
Clifford, Stanley, 1; 839 Grand-av., Feb. 16.
Church, Emeline B., 66; 6106 Greenwood-av., Feb. 16.
Demboski, Martin, 29; 35 Emma-st., Feb. 11.
Dazik, Michael, 5; 4745 Loomis-st., Feb. 17.
Dreyer, Wendell, 2 mos.; 918 N. Albany-av., Feb. 18.
Ducharek, Marie, 17; 546 W. 20th-st., Feb. 17.
D'Ambrosi, Emilio, 2 months; 337 Desplaines-st., Feb. 17.
Eughast, Wladyslaw, 1; 3336 Fisk-st., Feb. 17.
Frank, Harry, 41; 124 Halsted-st., Feb. 17.
Ferguson, Virginia [c.], 57; 610 Garfield-blvd., Feb. 16.
Funck, John, 24; 77 High-st., Feb. 15.
Flannery, Catherine, 78; 155 Washburn-av., Feb. 16.
Ferguson, Margaret, 67; 139 Watt-av., Feb. 16.
Frusolone, Margherita, 2 months; 473 Fifth-av., Feb. 17.
Fleening, James P., 7 weeks; 6732 Bishop-st.
Pronczak, Joseph, 15 minutes; 4540 Hermitage-av., Feb. 16.
Genko, George, 64; 5411 Rockwell-st., Feb. 7.
Gruccio, Congelta, 26; 3828 La Salle-st., Feb. 17.
Grabski, Wm., 2; 381 Washburn-av., Feb. 18.
Ignacek, Stanislaw, 6 mos.; 765 N. Ashland-av., Feb. 17.
Ker, George, 58; 1526 Wrightwood-av., Feb. 16.
Kleman, Mamie, 45; 814 N. Campbell-av., Feb. 17.
Kusibab, Waleria, 3; 235 W. Huron-st., Feb. 16.
Laum, Sophia, 62; 12253 Wallace-st., Feb. 16.
Ludwig, Matt, 55; 172 24th-pl., Feb. 16.
Laning, Richard, 40; La Grange, Ill., Feb. 10.
Luzar, Eva, 3 months; 78 W. 22d-st., Feb. 17.
Larson, Oliver, 29; 5024 Sangamon-st., Feb. 15.
Migas, Joseph, 1; 1555 W. 47th-st., Feb. 17.
Modesto, Prederigo, 13 days; 74 Academy-pl.
Moor, Mary J., 1 month; 3738 Union-av., Feb. 17.
Medow, Elizabeth, 38; 2934 Monroe-st., Feb. 17.
Missner, Jacob, 42; 13221 Ontario-av., Feb. 16.
Mullaney, Mary, 46; 1201 W. 47th-st., Feb. 16.
McShirley, Augusta, 50; 28 Milton-av., Feb. 17.
McSweeney, Henry, 43; 91 Congress-st., Feb. 16.
Nestor, Christo, 26; 386 Superior-st., Feb. 16.
Plywaczenski, Clea, 1; 45 Sloan-st., Feb. 17.
Robinson, Edward, 30; 2714 Princeton-av., Feb. 17.
Rosso, Frank, 39; 415 Clark-st., Feb. 16.
Ronach, Herbert, 2 months; 1326 W. 22d-st., Feb. 15.
Ruzs, Frances J., 29 days; 2970 Bonaparte-st., Feb. 16.
Stanowski, John, 30 minutes; 265 W. Erie-st., Feb. 15.
Sheppard, Charles, 2 months; 23 N. Campbell-av., Feb. 16.
Surlman, Josephine, 68; 11835 Princeton-av., Feb. 16.
Sanford, Edward, 20 days; 2610 Canal-st., Feb. 17.
Swanson, Herbert, 1; 1263 N. 42d-av., Feb. 17.
Simmonds, Amelia, 56; 6 Institute-pl., Feb. 16.
Schafer, Jacob, 47; 1615 State-st., Feb. 16.
Wager, John, 29; 584 Orleans-st., Feb. 17.
Wassman, Fred, 4; 169 Nebraska-av., Feb. 17.
Waugellen, Joachim, 83; 50 Burlington-st., Feb. 16.
Zimmer, Edith, 10; 8910 Loomis-st., Feb. 16.

UNDERTAKERS.

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MONUMENTS.

CHAS. G. BLAKE & CO., 712 WOMAN'S TEMPLE. Reliable makers of monuments and mausoleums.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, CASHier, or general office man; age 29; speedy, accurate, and efficient; references first class; position wanted where experienced man can make a future. Address F 551, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—ATTENTION, ADVERtising Managers—Do you desire the services of an assistant who is a capable catalogue compiler and correspondent? Economical purchaser of printing; 2 years' advertising agency experience. Address J 514, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EDUCATED YOUNG man, with lots of push and ambition; can keep set of books or act as general manager; moderate salary to start if can show a good future; five years' experience; will furnish best of references. Address J 584, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MARRIED man as assist. bookkeeper, ledger or genl. office clerk; familiar with credits and office details; thoroughly comp.; A1 refs. Address F 301, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 25, as asst. bookkeeper; rapid and accurate figurer; 6 yrs.' general office work; A1 references. Address J 540, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BOOKKEEPER-cashier, 26 years old; 9 years' lumber and mfg. experience; A1 refs. Address K 293, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY CORRESPONDENT, English, German, French; exp'd typewriter; mod. salary to start. H. SHUMAN, 5043 Prairie-av.

SITUATION WANTED—DRUGGIST, JUNIOR, expert prescriptionist; first class references. Address K 189, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, GOOD habits, as office assistant; 4 years' rr. exp.; operates typewriter; refs. Address H 173, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS OFFICE CLERK, young man, 21 yrs.; 2 yrs.' R. R. exp. Address J 472, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, age 21, high school graduate; A1 bookkeeper, d. e.; 2 yrs.' exp. Address H 195, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED bookkeeper, correspondent, and office man; best refs.; salary secondary. Address K 172, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER, EXPD. in iron and mchy. Address K 290, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKKEEPER 2 YRS.' exp. stenog.; aged 28. Address J 549, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT BOOKKEEPer, temporary; moderate. Address J 267, Tribune.

Accountants and Auditors.

SITUATION WANTED—ACCOUNTANT, AGED 32, with 8 years' experience in accounting, purchases, costs, credits, etc.; wants permanent position; character and habits O. K.; references from present employer, etc. Address H 334, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN AGE 27, accountant with firm strictly honorable, needing man whom they can trust and whom they will advance to a position of responsibility upon merit. Address J 516, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT, systematize, open, close, keep small sets, or attend to temporary work on books anywhere, reasonable. McENROE, 522 Reaper Blk. Cent. 7169.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT WILL AUDIT, open, close, systematize books, etc. SPENGLER, 5222 Madison-av. Tel Hyde Pk. 4617.

SITUATION WANTED—AS AUDITOR OR OFfice mgr.; exp. in manufg. and wholesale; Chicago; ref.; age 36 years. Address J 526, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BOOKS OPENED, AUdited, kept. Bisland, 139 Mich.-st. Main 4805.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—AM. EXP. SALESMAN, correspondent, and sales mgr.; believe in "delivering the goods"; want opportunity, not a salary job; ran this ad last week; answers were $100 jobs; if that is all don't answer. Address F 558, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG EXP. AND ENergetic Mexican salesman of ability, at present employed, desires connection with Amer. mfg. concern; perfect knowledge of country and its merchants; Amer. or Mex. refs. Address E. ROJAS, Hotel Frances, Guadalajara, Mex.

SITUATION WANTED — SINGLE MAN, 28, university graduate; 5 years' exp. selling; familiar New York City retail trade conditions, desires to represent manufacturer or jobber in that city; best credentials. Address F 521, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BRIGHT, HONEST, INdustrious young married man desirous of position selling goods for legitimate business; Chicago and vicinity; experience; A1 references. Address H 115, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—WISH TO LOCATE IN Portland, Ore., or Seattle, Wash.; want to represent as salesman some reliable grocery house; have 20 years' experience in grocery; can give reference. Address X N 27, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—A YOUNG MAN OF good address and character would like a position Saturday afternoons as salesman or agent. Address K 325, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN TRAVELing Wyoming, Idaho, Washington, and Oregon desires a profitable side line. F. O. Box 175 Aurora, Ill.

SITUATION WANTED—AS SALESMAN, BY A young married man, 24 years old, with 5½ years' experience in gents' furnishings line. Address K 157, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN, 30 YEARS; 8 years' experience selling wholesale hardware and manufacturing trade; moderate salary with good concern; best refs. Address J 473, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN, PACIFIC Coast experience, wants line of novelties or hardware with good reliable firm; best of references. Address H 182, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BRIGHT, INDUSTRIous young man desires connection with the selling end of good, legitimate business; 7 yrs.' exp. here in city; refs. Address K 142, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — FIRST CLASS MEchanic-salesman wants specialty or staple machinery or allied line for Chicago territory. Address F 158, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERIENCED REtail salesman at any line; references furnished. Address H 208, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—SALESMAN, 9 YEARS' experience; A1 references; age 34; legitimate line only. Address J 359, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED salesman, drug or specialty line; employed at present time; best refs. Address J 360, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 21, AS advertising solicitor. Address F 313, Tribune.

Boys.

SITUATION WANTED—BY BRIGHT COLORED boy, to work in or around office as confidential messenger, elevator or bellboy, hotel or building. Highest refs. furnished. Tel. 8227 Doug. Charles.

SITUATION WANTED—BOY, EXP., 18 YRS. old desires position; reliable firm, with chance for advancement; best references; lives with parents. Address F 479, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COUNTRY BOY, 17; 1 year's experience as cylinder press feeder; refs. LEO DEVEREUX, 830 N. Halsted-st.

Trades.

SITUATION WANTED—WITH CONSTRUCTION company, or architect, as superintendent; absolutely capable of handling big work, as shown by unequaled record. Address J 469, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY 15TH OF MARCH; competent young man, as gardener or houseman; strictly sober; to care for private place, country or city. State wages. Address FRED WETTERLING, 545 Asbury-av., Evanston, Ill.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN AS estimater, draftsman, and bldg. supt.; thoroughly experienced and capable; best of references. Address T O 271, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—ENGINEER, IN PERmanent position in Chicago, wishes to exchange same for lucrative position in some other city; west preferred. Address J 182, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN IN ASsembling or repair dept. of automobile firm; exp. chauffeur; small wages; ref. Address K 200, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN WITH mechanical and inventive ability; 10 years' general machine shop practice. C. P. KUEHN, 23 Best-av.

SITUATION WANTED—PHOTOGRAPHER, AIR brush artist, in gallery; can retouch. Address J 519, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—DRAFTSMAN, MECH., 7 years' exp.; also wants designing, detailing, etc., for home work. Address H 161, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CHIEF ENG., MASTER mech.; steam, elect., water power exp.; married; age 35; country. Address E 565, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AS CUTter or assistant. Address X N 26, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY PRINTER; STEADY position; low wages. Address K 199, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — CARPENTER WORK, all around mechanic. Address E 419, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BLACKSMITH ON wagon work. M. MERZ, 5347 Bishop-st.

House Servants.

SITUATION WANTED—BY COUPLE [WHITE]; wife good plain cook, saving housekeeper; man houseman, furnaces, handy with tools; ref. A1. Address K 319, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BUTLER AND VALET, by Scotchman; thoroughly competent; 6 yrs. exp.; ref. from last employer. Address K 308, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—JAPANESE BUTLER or valet, houseman; thoroughly experienced; have best city refs. HARRY O. I., 2007 Michigan-av.

SITUATION WANTED — BUTLER, VALET, housework; thoroughly exp. in care parlor floor, men's clothes; high class service; talk French. Major, 523 Dearborn-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BUTLER AND VALET, by a Scotchman; understands his business in every way; 6 years' references from last employer in N. Y. W. R. C., care Mrs. Lynch, 3 Hubbard-ct.

SITUATION WANTED—EDUCATED JAPAnese, experienced as butler or valet, in private family; permanently; city ref. Address K 188, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—NEAT, COLORED MAN, butler and valet, or porter; A1 references. Address BAKER, 3132 Forest-av. Phone next door Douglas 1058.

SITUATION WANTED—SINGLE, BRIGHT GERman, age 30, outside city; has experience in several lines of work; general housework preferred. Address H 197, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG JAPANESE as waiter, bellboy or houseman; city or country; refs. FUKNI, 3036 Groveland-av.

SITUATION WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEwork, by Japanese. Y. M. C. A., 2251 Calumet. Phone 4284 Calumet.

SITUATION WANTED—JAPANESE COOK AND housework, with experience; has refs. I., 3036 Groveland-av.

SITUATION WANTED — BY JAPANESE AS houseman, city or country. NOKA, 3036 Groveland-av.

SITUATIONS WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, colored. Call at 20 Cedar-st. Tel. 5567 North.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. HOUSEMAN; leave city; refs. Address J 552, Tribune.

Janitors and Porters.

SITUATION WANTED—AS JANITOR, FIRST class flat building preferred, exp. and best refs., 40 years old, single, of sober habits now employed as licensed engineer; have own tools, can make most all repairs. Address H 320, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MARRIED MAN, AS flat janitor; understands plumbing work; references. Address E 588, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—JANITOR, EXP. WITH steam, handy with tools; married; no children; large apt. building. Address J 600, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED PORTER OR assistant janitor. 3628 Calumet. Tel. Doug. 7780.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MAN AND WIFE AS janitors; ref.; colored. Phone Wentworth 3603.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Coachmen, Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Etc.

SITUATION WANTED—EXPERT CHAUFFEUR, driven Mercedes, Locomobile, Packard, Peerless for over seven years; expert mechanic; can overhaul and rebuild any car; very good reference; strictly temperate; competent, reliable, obliging, and taught from experience; one who is particular in his work and appearance; have an expert to drive your car and insure safety and economy; no bad habits. Address C 436, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — COACHMAN AND such work required around place; want place where man kept year around; capable and trustworthy; age 45; Swedish born; good references and good habits; suburbs preferred. Address J 566, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AT ONCE, AS CHAUFfeur; have six years' experience; young white man, 26 years old, sober, honest, and careful; will start for $20 a week. Address H 326, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CHAUFFEUR; THORough mechanic, six years' experience; will accept a position as foreman; unquestionable references. Address J 361, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EXP. CHAUFFEUR; honest, reliable, industrious. Address F. T. HOVA, 1311 So. 40th-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A GOOD SOBER chauffeur; good family. Address T E 216, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — EXPERT CHAUFfeur, young man, sober and careful; does repairing; references. Address E 492, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, COMPEtent and can do own repairs; no objections to other work. Address J 468, Tribune.

Stenographers.

SITUATION WANTED — AS STENOGRAPHER and office assistant by young man, 22; good education; understand bookkeeping; 3 yrs. exp.; excellent refs. Address K 320, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOG. and bookkeeper; 6 yrs.' exp.; good initiative; compose good letters; salary $75. Address J 528, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—BY PHYSICIAN, 30, single; good address and correct habits; been fairly successful as a practitioner; desire commercial association, where industry and aggressiveness will have greater outlet than the honorable practice of medicine affords the young, unknown physician. Anything considered that offers favorable prospects. Address Box 22, Lafayette, Ind.

SITUATION WANTED—SALES MANAGER OF 8 years' successful experience; understands how to weld office and selling force into compact unit to secure results; interview requested. Address J 423, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, HIGH school education, now holding fair paying position, wants position that shows future; 3 years' business exp., backed by plenty of nerve; can make good at anything. Address H 190, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG SCOTCHMAN seeks position as attendant on invalid or aged gentleman, or on any one requiring care and attention. Address W G 66, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 22, IN hardware or furniture store; no previous practical experience; fair salary; references. Address K 283, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—PUSHER, EXPERIenced journalist, editorial work for dramatic weekly or correspondent for booking exchange. Address K 105, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH A few hundred dollars would invest same, with services, in a legitimate business; experienced correspondent. Address J 471, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN HOLDing executive position with large concern desires change; would consider out of town offer. Best references. Address J 247, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS CHEMIST, BY A graduate of a leading technical school; have had several years of practical work; able to furnish most satisfactory refs. Address J 223, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MARRIED MAN ON A FARM, SHARE OR SALARY; A1 REF. AS TO FARMING ABILITY. MITCHELL, 1103 SOUTH-PL.

SITUATION WANTED—COLLEGE MAN; THORough knowledge of chemistry and pharmacy; laboratory or mfg. plant. Address J 428, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY INTELLIGENT Japanese, in printing office, for very small wages; South Side desired. 3216 S. Park-av.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN; ROAD and real estate experience; good correspondent and mixer. Address J 470, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—GARDENER; THORoughly experienced, married, American; private place. Address T M F., Williams Bay, Wis.

SITUATION WANTED — MARRIED, AGE 32; exp. in retail cigars, periodicals, etc. Address K 173, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. YOUNG BARkeeper; strictly sober; refs. Address F 586, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN; WORK where energy and loyalty counts. Address X D 80, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COWBOY BY ENERgetic Japanese; can handle 30 cows; references; experience. A., 3036 Groveland-av.

SITUATION WANTED—BY ELDERLY RELIAble man as night watchman, collector. Address K 333, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY MALE NURSE, neat, reliable; best refs. Address H 435, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—MEND JAPANESE ART goods by day. Address Otsuka, 148 Michigan-av.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 21, H. S. graduate. Address J 503, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EVE'GS OR SAT. AFTernoons; anything. Address H 323, Tribune.

Household Jobbing.

SITUATION WANTED—STRICTLY UP TO DATE paper hanger wants your work. Address J 565, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED — BY MIDDLE AGED lady; fine penman and good correspondent; would prefer location between Belmont and Wilson-avs. Address J 317, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMP., NEAT APpearing young lady, switchboard opr., office assistant, and typist; 6 years' experience; A1 references. Address H 329, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS BOOKKEEPER AND stenographer by young lady; 9 yrs.' exper.; best refs.; thoroughly competent. Address J 532, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — BY YOUNG LADY; several years' experience; general office work; capable, accurate, and good penman. Address H 533, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — YOUNG LADY, H. S. graduate; 4 years' gen'l office exp. Address H 489, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—D. E. BOOKKEEPER, cashier, and stenographer; 8 years South Water-st. experience. Address J 402, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—THOROUGHLY COMP. bookkeeper desires good, permanent position. Address J 573, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT BOOKkeeper; $12. Address J 598, Tribune.

Billing Clerks.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG LADY, 7 YRS.' experience, as bill clerk or general office assistant; A1 references. Address K 310, Tribune.

Domestics and Cooks.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEWORK; SMALL flat; by a Norwegian girl; in location between 21st and 30th-sts. Address K 291, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—FIRST CLASS COOK; take full charge of kitchen, city or country; wages $8-$10. C., 353 Orleans-st.

SITUATION WANTED—AS COOK, BY NORwegian girl; good ref.; North Shore suburb preferred; wages, $7. Address H 321, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—WAITRESS OR HOUSEwork; go home nights; West Side. Address K X 145, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—COLORED COOK; REFerences. A., 2918 State-st., Flat L. Phone Douglas 8635.

SITUATION WANTED — GENERAL HOUSEwork, washing and ironing; good references. Address J 421, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — COOK, GENERAL hwk.; colored woman. Mrs. Burr, 438 Wells-st.

SITUATION WANTED—AS A1 COOK, IN FAMily; no laundry. Address J 475, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—EXP. GERMAN COOK; private family. Address J 588, Tribune.

Waitresses and Hotel Help.

SITUATION WANTED—BY NEAT COLORED girl, chambermaid work, or dish washing. Phone Aldine 1256.

Housekeepers.

SITUATION WANTED—BY NEAT, REFINED American lady, as housekeeper in an elderly gentleman's house; none but nice parties need answer. Address J 473, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED lady as housekeeper for refined lady or gentleman with child; best references. Address B J 417, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR widower with children; South Side preferred. Address W S 465, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS HOUSEKEEPER, by woman under 30. Address K 312, Tribune.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

SITUATION WANTED — SEWING, SHIRTwaist suits, tailored shirtwaists made for 75c. 3520 Prairie. Aldine 1822.

SITUATION WANTED — SEWING OR HOUSEwork; day or week. STELLA PAYNE, 6150 Armour-av.

SITUATION WANTED—COL. SEAMSTRESS; good reference; no objecton to suburb; exp. Address J 302, Tribune.

Nurses and Governesses.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT CANAdian girl; care of invalid or elderly person, with some upstairs work, in well to do Jewish family; no other need answer. Address J 432, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND; am proficient in nursing; competent care for invalid; can give massage. Address 1343 Michigan-av.

SITUATION WANTED — REFINED WOMAN, as nurse, companion, and sec'y during day; good reader, manicurist, massage; refs. Address T L 457, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — PRACTICAL NURSE would care for infant or children. Best reference. 3847 Langley-av., Apt. 58. Phone Aldine 974.

SITUATION WANTED—SKILLFUL INFANT'S nurse; elegant Chicago reference. Address K 280, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—LADY PHYSICIAN GOing to Los Angeles about April 1st would act as nurse or chaperon. Address H 412, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG GRADUate nurse; male patient preferred. Address L K 75, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY ELDERLY DANISH lady as nurse or housekeeper; best references. MRS. SORENSEN, 1850 Melrose-st.

SITUATION WANTED—NURSE TO INVALID lady or companion; will travel; English. Phone Calumet 2936.

SITUATION WANTED—COMPETENT NURSE for adults; doctors' ref.; electric massage. MRS. STEWART, 834 Erickson-av.

Laundresses.

SITUATION WANTED—LAUNDRESS; FAMILY washing, rough dry; clean work; ladies' and children's clothes and underwear, flannels washed; starch pieces starched same as home; table and bed linen washed, ironed; prices, 2c. 3c. 5c piece; fine hand finish on shirts, collars; 20 per cent off on all shirts, collars, bundles left, call for at office; we call, deliver. SCHRUPP'S, 40th-st. and Cottage Grove-av. Phone Doug. 2203.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Laundresses.

SITUATION WANTED—DAY PLACES, GOOD laundress. Phone North 3397.

Stenographers.

SITUATION WANTED—BY HIGH GRADE STEnographer and policy writer; three years' experience in insurance and general work; high school graduate; best of references; salary $12 to start. Address S L 325, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STENO.; FIRST CLASS correspondent; experienced in subscription and circulation dept. of trade journals. Address F 360, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — STENOGRAPHER owning machine desires work; part time or piece work. MRS. ROBBINS, 355 Fullerton-av. Phone Lincoln 2517.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER; EXperienced high school grad.; neat, accurate; 22 years old; moderate salary; refs. Address F 456, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOG.; WILLING worker; some experience; refs. T. SWANSON, 216 Sedgwick-st.

SITUATION WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, TWO years' exp.; $8; Oliver pref. Address F 112, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—THOROUGHLY COMpetent stenographer, 6 years' exp., high school edu.; refs.; $13-$15. Address K 184, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED — STENOG., YOUNG lady, 4 mos.' exp., S. S. preferred; salary no object. Address J 555, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY STENO. HAVING 1 year's exp.; age 24; strict attention to business; salary $10 to start. Address K 128, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—BY STENOGRAPHER, where executive ability, accuracy are appreciated. Tel. Irving 7151.

SITUATION WANTED—EVENING WORK BY expert stenographer. Address K 286, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—AS STENOGRAPHER; lady; $10. Address T P 288, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED—A WELL EDUCATED Dutch young lady wants a position as traveling companion to Europe; speaks English, Dutch, and French; graduated teacher. Address MRS. VAN TELLINGEN, 1401 Lafayette-av., Mattoon, Ill.

SITUATION WANTED—YOUNG MAN WOULD take charge of exhibit, demonstrate article, or do other work requiring tact and good address, at the Seattle exposition; terms reasonable; references. Address J 548, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—REFINED YOUNG LAdy, convent graduate, as companion to lady; would prefer travel. Address T P 291, Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED—REFINED EDUCATED young woman, as traveling companion or chaperon to party going south. Address J 545, Tribune.

Employment Agencies.

SITUATIONS WANTED—BY COMPETENT DOmestic girls. Scandinavian Empl. Office. Phone Central 3856.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER—19 OR 20 YRS. OF age, living on South Side; answer giving references and salary expected. Address S L 194, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 25 years old, by manufacturing concern on West Side; salary to start, $14 per week; good chance for advancement to right party; state full experience and references. Address W G 73, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—YOUNG MAN WITH SOME experience; state age and salary wanted. Address K 146, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER—MUST BE RAPID AND GOOD penman. Give refs. and salary wanted. Address W A 189, Tribune.

CORRESPONDENT—IN SALES DEPARTMENT; state age, nationality, experience, salary, and references; give full particulars in first letter; replies will be held confidential. Address T P 276, Tribune.

COST CLERK—EXPERIENCED ON MACHINery costs by large mfg. concern; state exper. fully and salary expected. Address T E 291, Tribune.

RATE CLERK—EXPERIENCED FOR FREIGHT auditor's office. Address W N 449, Tribune.

SALES CORRESPONDENT—SPLENDID OPENing for a good man; one having experience in school furniture, church furniture, or opera chairs preferred. Address with full particulars, American Seating Co., 215 Wabash-av., Chicago. Apply by letter, not in person.

SHIPPING CLERK—WHO UNDERSTANDS packing china; permanent position. Address T T 276, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—BRIGHT, FOR GENERAL OFfice work; must be rapid, accurate, and write a good hand; state salary to start, with references. Address W A 191, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—BRIGHT, 16 TO 18 YEARS OF age, one having had experience in filling orders; auto tires preferred; salary $25 a mo., no advance until Jan. 1st. Address T W 210, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—EXPERIENCED, 17 TO 19 YRS. old, as assistant stock keeper in wholesale tailoring house; good chance for advancement, or can learn to cut. Address T F 286, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—20 OR 21 YEARS OLD, TO ASsist in bookkeeping dept.; good penman; $9. Address T W 204, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—18 TO 21 YEARS, AS CLERK and salesman in printing and engraving office; must have experience. Address K 328, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN BOOKKEEPER—OFFICE ASSISTant; $10 weekly. Address K 321, Tribune.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

SALESMAN WANTED—HIGH class, capable, and energetic salesman to sell packing house requirements on the road; must be able to speak German; one with knowledge of meat industry preferred; good position with old established house; give full details when answering. Address T W 220, Tribune.

COFFEE SALESMAN.

One of the best known and oldest houses in the coffee business, wants an honest, sober, industrious salesman, acquainted with the restaurant and hotel business of the city and vicinity, who can prove every claim. Salary will be paid and a new method of making coffee furnished to win trade. Address T L 101, Tribune.

SALESMAN—PRACTICAL ABILITY AND TACT, as a demonstrator; must be A. F. and A. M.; to represent a masonic proposition; salary $25 per week and commission; rare opportunity to the right man. Address, with references, JOHN H. MILLER & CO., 308 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—A NO. 1 CITY DRUG SPECIALTY salesmen; only good appearing, competent men, with references, need apply. SANIGENIC COMPANY, 910, 356 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—SALESMAN FOR CHICAGO; YOUNG man [German-American preferred] acquainted with dry goods, upholstery, and furniture trade; a fine opportunity, with excellent prospects for a hustler. Address K 326, Tribune.

WANTED—HIGH CLASS MEN TO SELL AN advertising novelty to banks, insurance companies, and merchants; new and a winner; one of our men sold 200,000 in a week. Address P. C. H. CO., 420 Monon Bldg.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS SALESMAN, UNemployed, capable of earning $40 per week, to call on our lists of civil engineers, architects, contractors, electricians, etc. A fine opportunity. American Technical Society, 825 Manhattan Bldg.

WANTED—GOOD HUSTLING SOLICITORS FOR both city and country buyers for best colonization tract on the market. Only live, hustling applicants need apply. Red River Valley Land Co., 1307 Ft. Dearborn Bldg.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK SALESMEN on new, fast selling proposition, just published; especially suited for the times and condition of business. Call Palmer House, 10 to 12 a. m. B. R. DAVENPORT.

WANTED—SOLICITORS, 2 OF GOOD APPEARance and address, for city and road, for the best premium proposition in city; $30.00 weekly sure. Call Room 404, 134 E. Van Buren-st.

WANTED—SALESMAN; HAVE FINE PROPOsition for live, energetic young man capable of selling railroads, corporations, and high class business men. Address T E 113, Tribune.

WANTED—SALESMEN—NOTORDER TAKERS. We can double your present income; clean, new mercantile line; can show what men out are making. Nat Publicity Co., 801, 303 Dearborn-st.

WANTED—ONE YOUNG MAN IN EACH TOWN to demonstrate our new doorbell; cash salary for one month. HA HA DOORBELL CO., Red Wing, Minn.

SALESMAN—YOUNG MAN; GOOD APPEARance, for city trade; already established; commission. Call 10 a. m. today. Ask for MR. SEMMENS, Room 64 McVicker's Theater Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN—WE WANT SEVERAL live men for a high class advertising proposition. A live man can secure immediate income. Call personally. Suite 307-308, 17-21 Quincy-st.

CIGAR SALESMAN—WANTED—IN YOUR LOcality to represent us; experience unnecessary; $110 per mo. and expenses. Write for particulars. Monarch Cigar Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—CITY SALESMEN TO FOLLOW UP old customers in our established line; permanent position to reliable, steady men; commission basis only. Block Light Co., 136 E. Lake-st.

WANTED—SALESMAN HAVING OFFICE FOR exclusive agency, office specialty; no competition; an exceptional opportunity. Address J 254, Tribune.

WANTED—LOCAL SALES MANAGER IN every county, $100 monthly guaranteed; bank references required. Send stamp for details. Box 226A, Elgin, Ill.

WANTED—SALESMEN IN OUTSIDE TOWNS to sell Gary lots; hustlers who follow instructions make $100 a week easily; commission only. Address W N 388, Tribune.

MERCHANT TAILOR—SOUTH SIDE, TO ENlarge his business, wants an outside man either as partner or salesman. Address J 422, Tribune.

CITY CIGAR SALESMEN—SALARY AND commission; steady position; popular goods. I. E. TREUSCH, 60 Wabash.

SALESMEN WHO CAN FURNISH CITY REFERences; permanent positions to producers. Address T P 287, Tribune.

SALESMEN—GOOD SIDE LINE FOR BOILER or engineers' supply salesman; big money. Address WILDER & SMITH, 443 Englewood-av.

WANTED—CITY SALESMAN TO HANDLE laundry machinery; salary against commission. Address W A 185, Tribune.

SALESMEN — EXCLUSIVE PROPOSITION without opposition; investigate now. Room 200, 56 Fifth-av.

MAN—GOOD ADDRESS, CHICAGO VICINITY, permanent; excellent opportunity to diligent worker. See Sales Mgr., 613, 85 Dearborn, 9 to 2.

EXPERIENCED TRAVELING SALESMEN FOR Wisconsin and Iowa, by wholesale drug house. Address J 148, Tribune.

WANTED—5 SALESMEN TO HANDLE BEST paying proposition in city; big commission. O. W. ECKLAND, 1116 Heyworth Bldg.

A CAPABLE SALESMAN—TO SOLICIT TRADE for an old established merchant tailoring concern. Address F 196, Tribune.

SOLICITORS, CANVASSERS, DROP IN SOME afternoon and get my proposition; absolutely new, attractive winner. WILSON, 917 Ashland Block.

SOLICITOR—MUST BE HUSTLER. APPLY p. m. 483 E. 47th-st.

ORGANIZERS FRATERNAL INSURANCE; EXpenses and commission. 914 1st Nat. Bank.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Salesmen, Solicitors, Etc.

ARE YOU AN EDUCATED MAN?

You have an opportunity to enjoy yourself at work; we do not want ordinary "agents," but we do want men with talent; these we will train for highly profitable work, selling "The Historians' History of the World"; you will have only to lay your proposition before actual, interested inquirers, whom advertising has influenced; the method of selling is unique and the work congenial; applicants are pleased to see you, not annoyed, and you will be pleased to talk to them. If you desire good pay and excellent business training, address

J. C. HUMPHRY,
1211 HEYWORTH BLDG.,
MORNINGS.

WANTED—TWO EXCEPTIONALLY BRIGHT salesmen for eastern territory, one for the southwest, and one for the extreme west, to fill vacancies where our salesmen have been making $250 a month and their expenses. Applicants must be able to give references as to their selling ability. The proposition we have to offer to bright salesmen is considered the very best on the market. Our customers are the largest retail merchants in every state in the union. We advance expense money and pay the highest of commissions, and salary.

THE ARETINO CO.,
Room 705, 56 5th-av.

SALESMEN.

Salesmen engaged in placing Law books in connection with a course of instruction or those contemplating such engagement should know that we are the PIONEERS in that field. Investigation will convince you of the superiority of ours.

DE BOWER-ELLIOTT COMPANY,
315 DEARBORN-ST.

ARE YOU A FIRST-CLASS TRAVELING SALESMAN? If you are we will pay you liberally and advance expenses. Applicant must be able to present in a forcible manner attractive specialty lines of crockery, glassware, phonographs, etc., to the general store merchants. Experience in our line unnecessary. Opportunity to become territorial manager with larger duties and remuneration. See Sales Manager, 10 to 11:30 a. m., or 1 to 3 p. m.

ROBT. JOHNS, 200 Monroe-st.

SALESMEN WANTED—
Real Salesmen!
Men who will work!
Men who can close business!
You can make big money if you are the man.
We have the business.

WALTER W. WILCOX,
BANK FLOOR, 105-107 WASHINGTON-ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

SALESMEN—TRAVELING—WE WANT SEVeral travelers for western and southern territory to handle an exclusive line. Will pay either a salary and commission on sales over a certain mount and all expenses or a liberal commission and expenses. Our men are earning from $100 to $200 a month clear.

GREAT NORTHERN MFG. CO.,
147-153 Fifth-av., Chicago.

SALESMAN — A LEADING MANUFACTURER desires the services of a local salesman for Chicago and vicinity to represent him with a line of boys' shirts and blouses, men's and boys' night robes and pajamas. This is a cracker jack line of popular priced goods to be carried by the jobbing trade and department stores only. Commission basis. Address Postoffice Box 2315, Philadelphia, Pa.

Boys.

BOYS—A FEW ENERGETIC BOYS, OVER 16, to receive orders, deliver copies, and make collections for the Saturday Evening Post and the Ladies' Home Journal. High class customers in best neighborhoods; no corner loafing with bad companions; good pay and short hours; extra prizes for good workers.

DREXEL RUTHERFORD, 8 W. Bond-av.

BOY—16 YEARS OLD, MAIL ORDER EXPERIence preferred; must write a rapid plain hand. Address T W 219, Tribune.

BOY—BRIGHT, EDUCATED, FOR AN ARCHItect's office. Address W A 186, Tribune.

ERRAND BOY—RATTLING GOOD ERRAND boy; must have best references; wages $5. Apply MR. BUTLER, 5th floor, Lyon & Healy's.

Trades.

AUTOMOBILE ASSEMBLERS—EXPERIENCED; none but experienced men apply to STREATOR MOTOR CAR CO., Streator, Ills.

BAKER—GOOD HELPER ON CAKES. 613 E. 43d-st.

BAKER—FIRST CLASS. ADDRESS MURPHY'S Restaurant, Newton, Kansas.

BODY MAKERS—CARRIAGE BUILDERS, TO work on automobile bodies. THOMAS B. JEFFERY & CO., Kenosha, Wis.

BUSHELMEN—TWO, ONE CLOTH CHOPPER. REED & CRAIG, 163 State-st., Room 86.

BUTCHER—FIRST CLASS; MARRIED MAN; steady, sober; A1 references; steady job; 75 miles from Chicago. Call at Rentz Paper Co., 22 N. Green-st., 9 a. m. Friday.

COMPOSITOR—YOUNG MAN WITH 2 YEARS' experience; good opportunity to learn business; $9. 1209 Michigan-av.

CUTTERS—TWO, FIRST CLASS; MUST BE speedy and able to make good try-ons; good salary to capable men. Write with references. Grand Pants Company, Kansas City, Mo.

FIRST CLASS COMPOSITOR—ON JOB WORK; town thirty miles out of Chicago. Address J 355, Tribune.

FOREMAN—FOR ORNAMENTAL IRON AND bronze shop in Pittsburg, Pa.; must be sober, industrious, and capable up to date man, familiar with details and latest methods of construction of elevator inclosures, stairs, and general iron and bronze work; state experience, age, and wages expected. Address J 452, Tribune.

FRAME MAKER AND FITTER—ADDRESS THE ART SHOP, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.

GARDENER—MAN TO MAKE HIMSELF USEful in greenhouse and florist store; permanent position. J. WILSON, 375 W. Huron-st.

GLOVE CUTTERS IN HORSEHIDE, CALF, AND buck skin. GORDON & FERGUSON, St. Paul, Minn.

HARNESSMAKER—AT ONCE, FOR GENERAL work; $12. WM. BECKER, Polo, Ill.

IRON BED FOREMAN—EXPERIENCED; ONE who has handled the piecework system; state last employment and references; also salary. Address T P 266, Tribune.

LINOTYPE OPERATOR—NO. 4 MACHINE; ALL kinds of job work; eight hours; union. STEWART-SIMMONS PRESS, Waterloo, Iowa.

MACHINISTS — ALSO LATHE AND BENCH men, for automobile work. THOMAS B. JEFFERY & CO., Kenosha, Wis.

MECH. DRAFTSMAN—FAMILIAR WITH ICE making mchy.; state age, nationality, salary expected, experience. Address J 524, Tribune.

MODELER—MUST BE THOROUGHLY EXPErienced on fine gas fixture work. State salary and reference. The Morreau Gas Fixture Mfg. Co., Cleveland, O.

PROOFREADER—NONUNION; JOB OFFICE; must be first class and state references in reply; 54 hours; $19.50. Address J 576, Tribune.

VEST TAILOR—FIRST CLASS, AS SUPERINtendent for large vest shop; good opportunity for right man; one who knows how to handle help. ROSENWALD & WEIL, Franklin and Congress-sts.

House Servants.

HOUSEMAN—COMPETENT, FOR SOUTH SIDE; one who understands the keeping of the interior of a first class house. He must have good city reference. A steady position with good wages to the right man. No other need apply. Address T W 212, Tribune.

HOUSEMAN—EXPERIENCED; REFS.; WHITE. 3129 Michigan-av.

Janitors and Porters.

JANITOR—[WHITE] MAN AND WIFE WITHout children; 9 flat building; South Side. Inquire Cigar Store, 210 E. Madison-st.

Agents.

AGENTS WANTED — EARN $15 OR MORE weekly while establishing a permanent income for yourself; the best proposition for live and energetic men; experience unnecessary. A. S. BUNKER, Manager Continental Casualty Co., 1105 Fort Dearborn Bldg., 134 Monroe-st., Chicago.

WANTED—BY REPUTABLE MANUFACTURER high class men as agents in Chicago to sell a brand new device; appeals at once to all households; profits large; about $150 capital required. Call 715 Merchants' Loan and Trust Bldg., 135 Adams.

AGENTS WANTED—QUICK SELLING BOOK, "Chicago and Its Cesspools of Infamy"; lost sisterhood and white slave problem; cloth; send 50c sample. S. P. Wilson, 100 Van Buren-st., Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—TO TAKE ORDERS FOR advertising novelties. Weidinger Manufacturing Co. References, see mercantile agencies. Address K 150, Tribune.

AGENTS WANTED—BEST SELLING HOUSEhold article; large demand for goods; $25 to $30 a week; success assured. Write for particulars. WM. J. LOBITZ CO., 822 Melrose-st., Chicago.

AGENTS—IN EVERY TOWN; EXCLUSIVE SALE best paying article ever offered; sells everywhere 10c; cost $3 per 100; sample by mail, 10c. Cline Mfg. Co., 1289 Wabash-av., Chicago.

FOREMAN—IN IRON BED FOUNDRY; GIVE experience, refs., and salary expected. Address W A 190, Tribune.

FIRST CLASS PROPOSITION FOR AGENTS. None but honest and energetic men need apply. For particulars address GERINGER BROS., Box 631, Chicago.

MEN AND WOMEN—TO SELL PHOTO TICKets; fine proposition. Rembrandt, 46 E. Jackson.

AGENTS—NO EXPERIENCE, NO TALKING; make $7.50 day. WARD, 184 Dearborn-st., R. 6.

AGENTS MAKE 200% ON OUR PROPOSITION. Crown Soap Works, 635 Ogden-av., Chicago.

Stenographers.

BRIGHT YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST IN OFFICE and operate Oliver machine; $40 per month to start. Call Friday or Saturday afternoons. Room 715 Merchants' Loan and Trust Bldg., 135 Adams.

MAN—YOUNG, WITH KNOWLEDGE OF BOOKkeeping, for collection department of a large jobbing house; must be rapid and accurate in his work; good opportunity for advancement; state age, experience, and salary desired. Address in own handwriting J 401, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIenced secretary work; Rem. or Oliver; executive ability; good opportunity for right man; references. Address immediately T P 290, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER—CAPABLE OF WRITING letters without dictation; salary to start, $60 per month; no advance until Jan. 1st; state age, experience, references. Address T W 211, Tribune.

YOUNG MAN—16-19, HIGH OR COMMERCIAL school graduate, knowledge of stenography; excellent opportunity in electrical business. Address T P 166, Tribune.

Miscellaneous.

A REAL OPPORTUNITY FOR A LIVE MAN about 25 who believes he can learn to write letters that SELL GOODS; must have good education, initiative, original ideas; must be willing to build up salary on a "make good" basis; experience not necessary; prefer alert young fellow who has worked his own way through college; give full particulars. Address T W 218, Tribune.

ABLE BODIED MEN—BETWEEN AGES 19 and 35, for U. S. Marine Corps. Must be native born or have first papers. Excellent opportunity to see the world. Good pay. Clothing, rations, quarters, medical attendance free. Apply at 260 S. Clark-st., 73 S. Halsted-st., or 302 S. State-st.

BONAZ OPERATOR — GENTLEMAN PREferred; one who understands the machine. Address T P 289, Tribune.

BRIGHT YOUNG MAN—FOR RETAIL MEN'S shoe store; must have refs. Address W A 183, Tribune.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Miscellaneous.

DISTRICT ORGANIZER—FOR EACH CHICAGO ward for A1 fraternal society; men or women. MANAGER, 509 Monadnock Block, 10 to 12 a. m.

MAN—GOOD, LIVE, FOR CITY EDITOR ON daily paper in good town; fine climate and a good salary for a man that can get out and find news. Address X N 9, Tribune.

MANAGER WANTED

FOR SALES DEPARTMENT BY LARGE MANUFACTURING CONCERN, TO TAKE ENTIRE MANAGEMENT OF A LARGE FORCE OF HIGH CLASS TRAVELING SALESMEN; MUST BE BETWEEN 30 AND 45 YEARS OF AGE AND THOROUGHLY COMPETENT IN SELECTING SUCCESSFUL MEN; WILL PAY GOOD SALARY TO HIGH CLASS MAN; STATE QUALIFICATIONS OR NO ATTENTION; CONFIDENTIAL. ADDRESS T F 263, TRIBUNE.

MEN—OF GOOD CHARACTER AND ADDRESS to do magazine soliciting; $10 per week and commission; surety required. Apply by letter. The Magazine Circulation Co., 269 Dearborn-st.

QUARRYMAN WANTED.

An experienced man to take full charge of up to date crushing plant in Central Illinois; must thoroughly understand the business and machinery; can be financially interested if he chooses. In answering give full experience, age, and salary expected. Address S E 309, Tribune.

SODA DISPENSER—A1 APRIL 1ST TO OCT. 1st or longer. $85 and commission; white preferred; references; new fountain. Write J. A. Treber Druggist, Black Hills, Deadwood, S. D.

TALLY MAN—ONE WHO CAN TAKE CHARGE of men in yard. L. KRUG, 35th-st. and Wentworth-av.

WANTED — TO ENGAGE SERVICES HIGH class man to borrow money, long and short time loans, for large corporation for additional working capital on high class commercial paper. Address J 226, Tribune.

YOUNG MEN—2, FOR NEWS AGENTS; EXPErience unnecessary. 72 E. 12th-st.

YOUNG MAN—ASSIST IN SHIPPING ROOM; $5 weekly. Address K 322, Tribune.

Employment Agencies.

THE TRIBUNE ACCEPTS THE ADVERTISEMENTS TENDERED BY EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES WHICH COMPLY WITH THE STATE LAW REGULATING THE CONDUCT OF EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES.

THE LAW PROVIDES THAT A REGISTRATION FEE OF $2 MAY BE CHARGED. IT ALSO SAYS THAT IF A SITUATION IS NOT OBTAINED IN 30 DAYS THEN THE FEE OF $2 MUST BE RETURNED, PROVIDED A CLAIM IS MADE WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER EXPIRATION OF FIRST 30 DAYS.

THE TRIBUNE WILL BE GLAD TO HAVE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY EMPLOYMENT AGENCY WHICH DOES NOT RETURN FULL REGISTRATION FEE ACCORDING TO THE STATE LAW.

STENOGRAPHERS—SEVEN.

We have seven good openings for stenographers; one in Montana, $18; Minnesota, $60; two in Chicago, $900, prefer newspaper or publishing experience.

Many other good openings in all lines. Come up and look over our list.

BUSINESS MEN'S CLEARING HOUSE,
1107 Woman's Temple, 184 La Salle-st.

SPECIALTY SALESMEN — $1,300 STRAIGHT salary; bill clerks, office men; no registration charge. Square Deal Assn., 171 Washington-st.

Free Typewriter Employment Bureau.

STENOGRAPHERS — SEVERAL; MALE; OLIver; six months' to two years' experience; permanent positions; salaries commensurate; call immediately. The Oliver Typewriter Co., 47 Dearborn-st.

Trade Schools.

$25 TO $50 WEEKLY.

Do You Want to EARN IT?

Do you want to travel and see the country, with all your expenses paid?

Do you want health? A position where you can be out of doors, instead of being stuck in an office or shop all day long?

If so, come or write to the STANDARD MOTOR COLLEGE, 1638 MICHIGAN-AV., and see what they have to offer.

Standard Motor College is the best school in Chicago, and we can prove it.

EARN MORE MONEY.

Take a practical course in our auto school; you can earn from $20 to $50 a week; we thoroughly teach you everything—how to build, repair and drive any car; hundreds of cars to work on; actual driving lessons on the road; course takes from 4 to 6 weeks; call or write us; day and evening classes.

INTERNATIONAL AUTO SCHOOL,
1243-45 WABASH-AV., CHICAGO.

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE. Thoroughly practical training by free clinic and careful instructions. Life scholarship, tools given, board provided. Moler graduates command highest wages. Our diplomas recognized everywhere. Shop experience and wages before completing. Catalogue free. Call or write. MOLER BARBER COLLEGE, 435 Wabash-av.

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GOVERNESS—FOR G... 27; knowledge of G[erman]... ...kindergarten; must give... ...Tribune.

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BINDERY GIRLS—EX[PERIENCED]... and folders. EXCEL[SIOR]... Plymouth-pl.

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COMPLETE BILLIARD HALL MISSION OUTfit; 2 billiard, 6 pool tables; great bargain. 1301 Milwaukee.

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LOST—MINK BOA, MONDAY AFTERNOON, BEtween Field's on elevated or 51st and Washington Park-pl.; $5.00 reward if returned to 5064 Washington Park-pl., Flat 87.

LOST—FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 12, IN KENwood, barrette pin set with pearls and diamonds; reward. Address S L 191, Tribune.

LOST—TWO CARAT DIAMOND STUD, 35TH-st. car, Jan. 31st, 1909. Large reward and no questions asked. Address O O 545, Tribune.

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No proposal will be considered unless it be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the City Treasurer in the amount specified in specifications or by a bond conforming to law; such bond to be twenty-five per cent of the sum named in the proposal.
Plans and specifications and estimate of quantities can be seen and printed forms of proposals can be had on application at the Bureau of Engineering, 13 City Hall, Buffalo, N. Y., on and after this date.
The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and waive any informalities.
For the construction of subdivision "A" of Section No. 2 of the Buffalo River and Cazenovia Creek improvement as divided and amended by the Common Council July 20 and 24, 1908, being that portion of the whole work herein specified, included between the south line of Lot 65, Indian Reservation, and the northeasterly line of the Abbott Road.
Plans and specification prepared by the Common Council, adopted, and this advertisement ordered: By the Board of Aldermen, Dec. 14, 1908; Approved by the Board of Councilmen Dec. 16, 1908; Approved by His Honor the Mayor Dec. 24, 1908.
FRANCIS G. WARD, Commissioner.

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Illinois Aid and Coöperative company, Chicago; capital, $2,500; operate drug stores and provide physicians' services, etc.; incorporators, Samuel C. Frye, George W. Henderson, Lawrence Knight.
The traffic service bureau, Chicago; capital, $100,000; general printing, bookbinding, and stationery business; incorporators, Edgar W. Chesterman, Andrew J. O'Donnell, Jay Warner.
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The Sloan & Arnold Construction Co., Chicago; capital, $50,000; general contracting and construction business; incorporators, William J. Sloan, Charles F. Arnold, Percy E. Cook.
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LAWYER ACCUSED OF $1,505 FRAUD.

Alleged Malpractice Disclosed in Petition for Disbarment.

CLIENT'S HEIRS LOSERS.

Bar Association Will Push Proceedings Against William C. Parker.

One of the most astonishing cases of alleged malpractice by an attorney was disclosed yesterday in the first batch of disbarment petitions sent to the Supreme court by the Chicago Bar association since that organization's right to handle such matters without the coöperation of the state's attorney was upheld.

An information filed against Attorney William C. Parker alleged that he had willfully defrauded heirs of a former client of $1,505, relying for immunity on his ability to keep them ignorant of his action until the statute of limitations had outlawed his offense and removed all chance of his being prosecuted.

According to the information he was successful in his scheme. He is declared to have obtained the money in 1903 and as it was not until 1908 that his victims realized what had been done the legal limitation of three years for such offenses had run and no prosecution was possible.

Heirs Fail to Collect.

Parker is said to have had as a client Thomas Mooney, a Kansan, formerly a resident of Ireland. His heirs were a brother and a sister, James and Mary Mooney, a nephew, Thomas Mooney Beatty, and a niece, Mary Beatty, all residents of Ireland. In their names he is said to have obtained possession of the $1,505. This they never received, and after Irish attorneys had failed to collect from Parker local attorneys were retained.

Parker refused to give any explanation of his disposition of the money until he was summoned before the grievance committee of the Bar association last fall, when he declared that he had forwarded it to Ireland. His explanation was that he had been told that his correspondents would not appreciate the meaning of a draft, so he sent three $500 bills in a plain envelope.

He said he went to the postoffice to have the letters registered, but found the registry window closed. Then, according to his own statement, he purchased a 2 cent United States stamp and a 10 cent "Irish" stamp. No member of the grievance committee could find a record of such a variety of postage, and his use of the term only hastened the disbarment proceedings.

Case Will Cost $1,000.

As no criminal prosecution against Parker is possible, the Bar association is determined to punish him to the full extent of its powers by having his license canceled. In order to do this it will be necessary to send to Ireland for depositions from the Mooney heirs and the cost of the case will be at least $1,000.

Disbarment proceedings also were begun against William D. Atkinson because of his alleged failure to return $412 to Henry Lutter, who paid it to him for a trust deed which later was refused by the holder.

John E. Amos Jr. is declared unworthy of a license to practice law because, it is alleged, he "schemed to cheat and defraud" Joseph J. Miller, a victim of insanity, who before retaining Amos as his atotrney had about $25,000. This fact was known to his heirs, but when E. A. Potter, who had been appointed conservator, searched for the man's estate, he could find no trace of it.

ASSOCIATION OF COMMERCE NAMES TWENTY-ONE CHAIRMEN

Subdivisions of Ways and Means Committee Organize and Will Hold Full Session on Wednesday.

The subcommittees of the ways and means committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce perfected organization in the Sherman house yesterday, the last twenty-one of the seventy-six chairmen being chosen for 1909.

Each of these subcommittees, representing every professional, commercial, and industrial interest of life in Chicago, is allowed three members, and the chairmen comprise the ways and means committee of the association, through which the operations of the organization are devised and prosecuted.

Committee Chairmen Chosen.

The twenty-one chairmen chosen for the subcommittees are:

A. L. STONE.....Dry goods
E. E. SWADENER.....Jewelry
CARROLL S. McMILLEN.....Merchant tailors
W. C. VIERBUCHEN.....Hotels
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F. S. SHAW.....Music and musical instruments
C. D. JENKS.....Railway and vessel supplies
JAMES WOLFF.....
Electrical goods, gas fixtures, fire and kindred lines.
W. S. MOORE....Fruit, produce, and cold storage
FRANK I. MOULTON.....Attorneys
R. S. MORLEY.....Stoves and furnaces
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WILLIAM DICKINSON.....Building material
L. W. BROOKS...China, glassware, and art goods
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D. L. HARRISS.....Miscellaneous
GEORGE A. SCOTT.....Members at large
W. F. JUERGENS.....Manufacturing jewelers

Completes Organization.

The executive and other governing committees have been elected and the association's organization will be complete when the ways and means committee meets on Wednesday to elect officers. The full list of the subcommittees will be announced at that meeting.

UPHOLDS BOARD OF REVIEW IN CLASH WITH ASSESSORS.

Judge Windes Refuses Writ to Compel Annulment of Changes in Delinquent Tax Penalties.

Judge Windes yesterday ruled against the board of assessors in its suit questioning the right of the board of review to alter penalties on delinquent taxpayers. The court held that the assessors had failed to show a clear right to a writ of mandamus to compel the reviewers to replace assessments with penalties amounting to $1,972,500. The reviewers had reduced the figures to $1,163,455.

"As I understand it," said Judge Windes, "the question presented is as to the power of the board of review to consider complaints in cases where there has been a failure to file a schedule by the property owner, and the board of assessors has returned a schedule on the valuation of the property of such persons, with the penalty of 50 per cent added. It would seem that the board of review has the power to review any action of the assessors; but I think it is a doubtful question."

For that reason he said he overruled the petition.

The assessments in question were made on the property of twenty-six insurance companies, which had failed to schedule before the assessors.

Following the last victorious raid of the "tax van" the county treasurer's office is being swamped with business. Since Wednesday more than $500,000 in back taxes has been received.

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